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LAND SALES

GOVERNMENTS' announcement that land sales in the first quarter of the year realized more than \$7.5 million draws attention again to a policy that has been the subject of growing criticism in recent months. The chief cause of complaint is the difficulty of getting industrial sites. But it does not end there. Land is dear and conditions of sale restrictive.

The Colony is now growing rapidly. New factories formed with both local and overseas capital are seeking suitable sites all over Hongkong. Properly, they should be given every help and encouragement if industrialisation is to keep pace with the Colony's general growth. But the present position is far from satisfactory.

Given Away

IN other parts of the world "encouragement" takes the form of giving land away free to sound industrial projects. In our cramped conditions this may not be a feasible policy to advocate, but there are a number of ways in which the general land sales policy can be eased particularly to assist the development of local industry.

Land sales for the first quarter — netting \$7.5 million — are well above the figure anticipated by Government in the budget. Estimates for the whole year are only \$17.5 million against a revised estimate for the last financial year of more than \$20 million. But it must be admitted, as Colonel J. D. Cingue said in his budget speech, that the revenue angle is comparatively unimportant.

What must be avoided — and this will require the cancellation of a new sales policy — is the high upset prices and, where possible, stifling conditions which forbid the use of land by certain industries. The aim should be to dispose of land as cheaply as possible and the extent of a number of unsold sites which industries are unable to afford is no credit to a government which publicly accepts the need for rapid development and increasing output.

New Policy

THERE have been cases already of unworkable delays in factories getting land for expansion, and others of overseas investors giving up industrial projects altogether because sites are either prohibitively dear or hedged around with conditions or delays which make prompt use impossible.

Colonel Cingue has mentioned that on one or two occasions recently crown land put up for auction has failed to attract buyers even at the upset price. It is not enough to ask for a "more flexible approach" to this question. A definite revision of policy is needed which will ensure the removal of one impediment in the way of manufacturers planning either to expand or start up factories in Hongkong. Government needs to give immediate attention to these complaints.

The West's "Package Plan"

TO BE PUT BEFORE CONFERENCE TODAY

German Re-unification Aim

Geneva, May 14. The West will today present the East-West Foreign Ministers conference with a three-phase "package plan" combining a German settlement with big reductions in United States and Soviet armed forces. The plan was drawn up in the form of a preamble followed by three successive phases. At the end of these phases a peace treaty would be signed with a re-united Germany and the forces of the United States and Soviet Union would each be limited to 1,700,000 men.

Rub-a-dub-dub 3 Men In A Tub!

Montreal, May 13. Three youths — two French and a German — who will sail from St. John, Newfoundland, at the end of this month, in a steel barrel in an attempt to cross the Atlantic Ocean, today saw their craft loaded aboard the freighter which will take it from Montreal to Newfoundland. The strange vessel was designed by its three sailors, Albert Barth, Richard Meisch, and expedition chief Robert Francis. It is a steel barrel christened "Diogenes", painted yellow and white, about 6½ feet in diameter, and about 20 feet long. It is equipped with a sail, and carries a ballast of cement. The barrel also has a rudder and a "schnoekel" tube to ventilate its interior when the hatch must be closed in rough weather. The trio, armed with a three-month supply of food and 150 gallons of drinking water, plan to spend their time fishing, observing the ocean, and writing a journal of the first Atlantic crossing in a barrel, which they hope to sell for publication.—AFP.

JUNKS REPORTED SEIZED BY CHINESE TUG

A tug entered Castle Peak Bay from Chinese waters on Tuesday afternoon and towed away two junks anchored in the bay, a Government spokesman confirmed this morning.

Local reports said that three children were aboard the junks. Their parents had escaped ashore when they saw the tug approaching. The junks were reported to be two of the four that had arrived from Tai Ping, Kwangtung, earlier in May, carrying a load of bricks and 20 people. The four junks, it was reported, sailed into the Castle Peak Bay on May 8, dropped anchor and did not return to China.

Jumped Into Sea

At about 3 p.m. on Tuesday, there came into the bay a tug with a sampan in tow, the reports said.

Transferred

When about 50 feet offshore, eight people were transferred from the tug to the sampan which sailed near the four junks. All the people on the junks jumped into the water and swam ashore as they saw the sampan approaching them. It was further reported that in the rush to get away, three children were left on board the two junks which the men in the sampan boarded. They attached ropes from the tug to the junks and the tug steamed off. The Government spokesman said "police investigations are still in progress."

Two Die After Betrothal

Beirut, May 13. Police in armoured cars today rolled into a southern Lebanese village stirred by a Romeo and Juliet style clan feud that has claimed at least two lives. It was touched off by the engagement of a boy and girl from the town's two warring families.—UPI.

The preamble contained a statement of principles, such as that East and West should not use force in the settlement of international disputes.

Sources described the phases as follows:

★ **PHASE ONE:** East and West Germany would set up a bipartite council, consisting of 15 West Germans and ten East Germans, each nominated by their Governments.

They would have the task of expanding administrative and technical contacts and would take decisions by a three-quarters majority decision.

After two and a half years a plebiscite would be held throughout Germany to decide an electoral law for later free all-German elections to reunify the country.

In a zone yet to be determined in Europe, ground control and inspection of both sides' armed forces would be instituted.

Pilot Plan

Free elections would be carried out in both East and West Berlin, as a pilot plan for later German reunification.

During this first phase, the sources said, the United States and Soviet Union would each limit their armed forces to two and a half million men.

★ **PHASE TWO:** In this phase Germany would be reunited — on the basis of free elections to be controlled either by the "Big Four" — United States, Soviet Union, France and Britain — or by neutral powers, or by the United Nations.

The reunited Germany would have the choice of joining either Nato or the Warsaw Pact, or of remaining neutral.

A zone of inspection would be set up, covering the area proposed in the Polish Rapacki Plan — East and West Germany, Poland and Czechoslovakia.

Ceilings

In this area ceilings would be imposed on the size of both sides' armed forces.

At the beginning of this phase, it was reported, the armed forces of the United States and Soviet Union would each be limited to 2,100,000 men, to be reduced later to 1,700,000.

★ **PHASE THREE:** Main feature of this phase was stated to be the signature of a peace treaty with the reunited Germany.

The peace treaty would define Germany's final frontiers. Though the plan did not mention where these frontiers should be, it was understood all the Western powers were prepared to accept the Oder-Neisse line as Germany's border in the East.

Observers believed there was little chance of the Soviet Union accepting the Western "package plan."

Soviet Attitude

The Soviet press and radio in recent weeks has declared it would reject Western proposals tying in the problem of peace treaty and Berlin with that of German reunification.

The Soviet attitude is that German reunification is a matter for the East and West Germans alone to decide. Mr. Andrei Gromyko, Soviet Foreign Minister, reiterated this at today's conference session.—Reuters.

(See also P. 3)

FLYING SAUCER OVER LONDON



Two London students walked into a big newspaper office with an undeveloped film last week. "We think we've just photographed a flying saucer over the Houses of Parliament," they said. On one of the frames was this picture. Photographic experts failed to find any technical evidence of faking, but the wind direction shown by the flag, and the cloud formations failed to match with those actually the case at the time they claimed to have taken it. And after three hours of close questioning, they finally admitted it was a hoax — designed to publicise their college race week in which they hoped to raise £1,000 for an old folks' home. The picture turned out to be a double exposure.—London Express Service.

Emergency Cord Pull Ends In Crash

New York, May 13. A rush-hour subway train, stopped by a woman passenger who pulled the emergency cord because a youth struck her, was rammed by another train today.

Twenty-two people were injured, some critically, in the collision.

The accident took place in a Brooklyn station where the line is elevated.

The first train, bound for Manhattan, was brought to a jolting halt in the station when Lucille Lombardo, 43, pulled the emergency cord.

After the train halted, she complained to the conductor, Irwin Dickstein, that a youth about 17 years old had struck her.

Dickstein called the Police while the boy and the woman waited. But nine minutes later, the second train rolled into the station, past an automatic halting device, and rammed the parked train.—UPI.



KIM NOVAK STAYS IN PRINCE ALY'S CASTLE

Paris, May 13. Kim Novak enjoyed the luxury of the Chateau Horizon of Prince Aly Khan today. The movie actress became the newest addition to the chosen few — mostly beautiful women — to have the privilege of using the Prince's chateau here.

She moved in yesterday with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Novak. The Prince, now Pakistan's delegate to the United Nations, was last reported to be visiting his studies in Ireland. "They're just good friends," was the word from the white villa where the Prince honeymooned with another film beauty, Rita Hayworth 10 years ago. "She was coming here for the Cannes film festival, the house was empty except for the staff and Aly Khan kindly suggested on one of their dates that she stay there instead of a hotel. That's all," said a friend.—UPI.

Lennox-Boyd Leaves

London, May 13. The Colonial Secretary Mr. Alan Lennox-Boyd flew to Nigeria from London today to take part in the forthcoming independence day celebrations there.—UPI.

Explosion On Sun Was Biggest Ever Recorded

Alamogordo, New Mexico, May 13. A veteran air force observer today described Sunday's massive solar explosion as the biggest solar flare ever recorded by man.

The explosion, which knocked out radio, television and long distance lines, was "at least 100,000 miles long and 50,000 miles wide." Mr. Harry Ramsey, chief observer at the Air Force Sacramento Peak Observatory said the flare lasted about three hours.

Clear Look

Mr. Ramsey said it was the largest flare since spotted since the "flare patrol" observatories were established in 1950.

Sacramento Peak, at 10,000 feet elevation, is a master station for the worldwide network. Its altitude enables observers to get a very clear look at the sun and other astral bodies.

The explosion reached maximum brilliance about half an hour after the flaming finger stabbed out from the sun's surface.

Mr. Ramsey said at one stage it was nearly 20 times brighter than the rest of the sun's surface.

Sacramento Peak's flare observation was on a "hydrogen-alpha wave length" and came through in the form of X-ray and ultraviolet activity which disrupted radio communications on the sunny side of the earth.

Northern Lights

Magnetic effects of the flare began disrupting communications cables on the earth's surface late on Monday afternoon and then caused a Northern Lights display that night.—UPI.

Former HK Resident's Sentence Confirmed

Manila, May 14. The Philippine Supreme Court today confirmed a decision which found a Canadian guilty of attempting to smuggle gold bullion out of this country.

The decision carried with it a sentence of one year imprisonment against William Ernest Joffe, a Canadian subject and resident of Hongkong, for violation of the law regulating exportation of gold.

He had been trade commissioner for Canada in Shanghai and Hongkong until 1948. Findings of the Rizal Province Court of First Instance said Joffe was held by customs agents at the Manila International airport on December 7, 1952 while about to board a plane for Hongkong.

Julie Was Late



For years and years, her stage father (Stanley Holloway as Mr. Doolittle) has been usually singing "Get me to the Church on time." But still Julie Andrews managed to be late for her wedding to costume designer Tony Walton. But it was partly his fault — the 27-year-old bride down the back of her dress, which he designed, wore one of the reasons she was late. Incidentally, one of the guests kept waiting was, naturally enough, Stanley Holloway. Our picture shows Tony and Julie, childhood sweethearts, just after their marriage on Monday.—London Express Service.

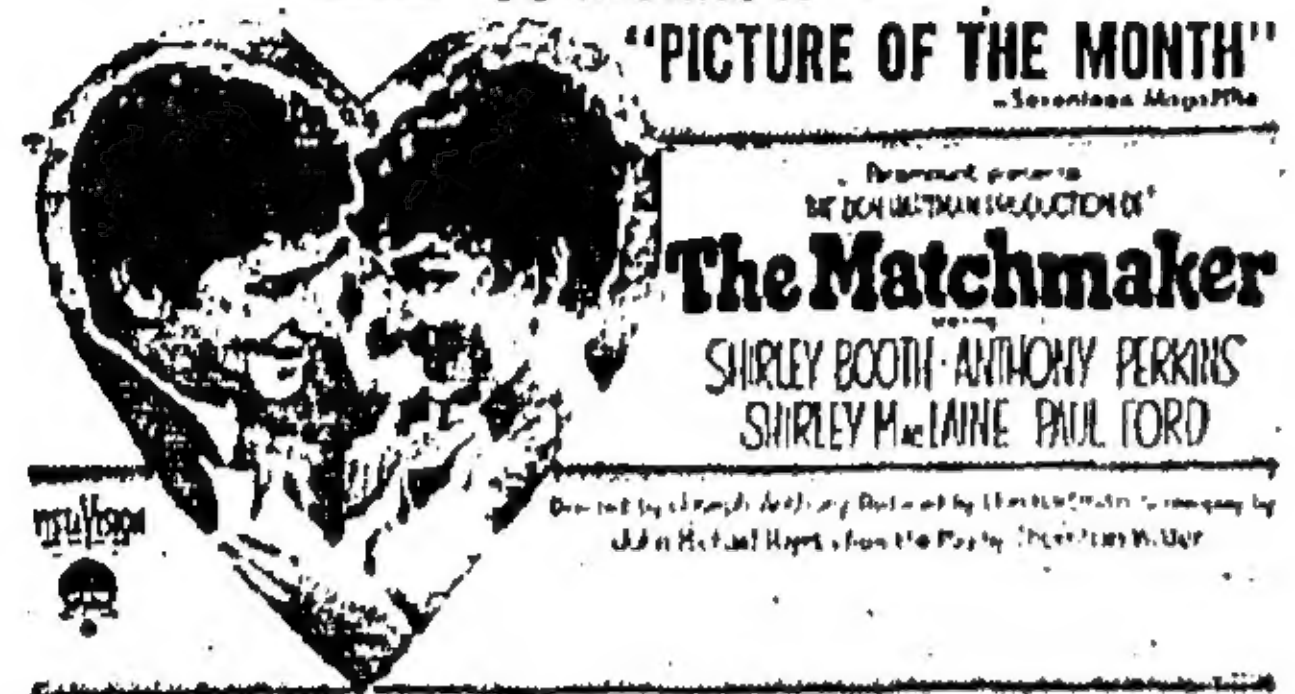
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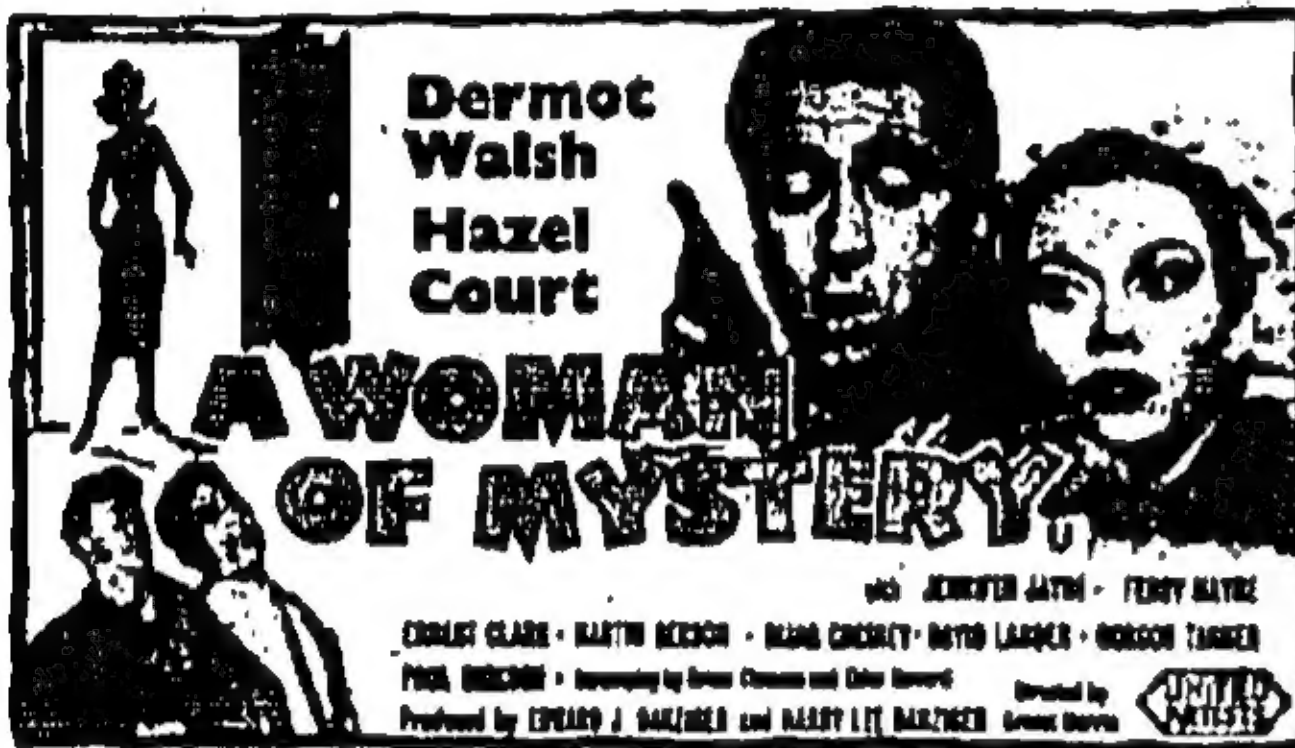


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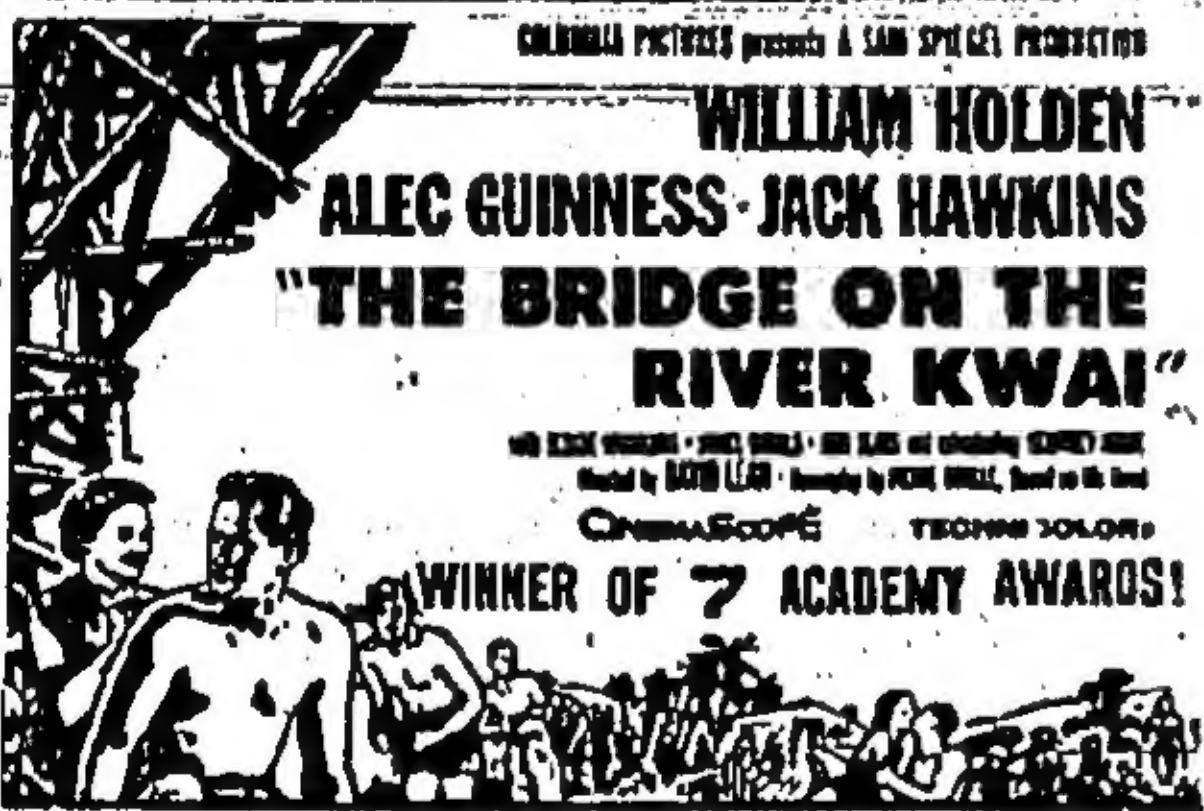
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Death Strikes At Night In Lhasa

Kalimpong, May 13.

The Chinese Communists have arrested almost all rich Tibetans in Lhasa, according to usually reliable sources here.

SUKARNO MISSES LUNCH

Rome, May 13.
President Ahmed Sukarno attended a reception at the Indonesian Embassy here tonight.

Dr Sukarno, who is on a world tour, flew into Rome last night with a suite of 30 for a state visit to the Pope tomorrow. His main engagement today was to have been a luncheon with President Gronchi at the Italian head of state's 60th birthday palace. The guest list included the Indonesian Foreign Minister, Mr Subandrio, and the Chairmen of the Upper and Lower Houses of the Italian Parliament, Cesare Merzagora and Giovanni Leone.

The 58-year-old Asian ruler however cancelled the date with President Gronchi with only an hour's notice after he had spent two hours shopping in Rome.

INDISPOSED

His Press Officer, Dr John Senduk, said President Sukarno "just could not make the lunch" because he was "indisposed and resting." He could not give details of Dr Sukarno's trouble.

The Italian Foreign Minister in a statement later said the luncheon was called off "because of a momentary indisposition of the illustrious guest."

After spending the afternoon in his hotel, Dr Sukarno was apparently well enough again tonight to drive to the Indonesian Embassy for the party given by Dr Subandrio.—Reuter.

Mau Mau Resurgence

Nairobi, May 13.
The Kikuyu secret tribal society Kiama Kia Mwingi (assembly of the people) has been revealed as "undoubtedly a resurgence of Mau Mau," Mr Norman Harris, Minister without portfolio, said today.

Mr Harris said the situation was under control but that there were some disturbing features. "The Government had tried relaxing emergency restrictions in Central Province," he declared, but this had been a disappointing experience.

"Because of the Kikuyu's extraordinary loyalty to their society, there is a possibility of relaxation to start the whole thing over again," Mr Harris said.—Reuter.

Cross-Complaint

Santa Monica, May 13.
British actor Michael Rennie, 49, today filed a surprise cross-complaint to his wife's divorce action and charged her with desertion in asking custody of their only son.

Superior Judge Edward R. Brand was to have heard testimony today on a demand by British-born actress Margaret McGrath that the court award her \$2,500 for transportation to Hollywood to prosecute her separate maintenance suit.—UPI.

New Earl Will Keep Job



John Romer Herland Campbell, 10th Earl of Breadalbane, picked up his pint of blisters in an East End public house last Monday night and said wistfully: "Until I know what's going with the title, I'm not giving up my £10-a-week job." He is an ex-Black Watch (invalided out in 1945) lieutenant, and a Government messenger on Thursday he learnt that he had inherited the title and the estates that go with it from his father — from whom he had been estranged for 16 years. But as yet he doesn't know exactly what the estate consists of — or what will be left after death duties are paid.

Picture shows the Earl preparing to sink a pint in Stephen's Queen's Head. "All the people in this public house are good people. They like me for what I really am — long before they knew I might be an earl."

Difficulties Facing British Cotton Industry Plan

London, May 14.
Several British newspapers today emphasised the nature of the difficulties in implementing the British Government's £30 million five-year plan to help the British cotton industry.

Important Petroleum Conference

London, May 13.
Important talks will be held in London next week on the Iranian petroleum situation between an Iranian mission and the leaders of the international consortium which exploits the south Iranian oil fields.

The talks were decided last March during the annual visit to Iran of consortium representatives. One of the main subjects to be discussed at the talks would be the Iranian company's claims that its oil revenues should be maintained at the same level as last year, despite the drop in prices for crude oil in the Persian Gulf area. It was understood that the question of revising the existing agreements, which share out all profits on a 50-50 basis between the consortium and the Iranian company, would not be brought up at the talks, but might be the subject of unofficial exchanges of view between the two parties.—France Press.

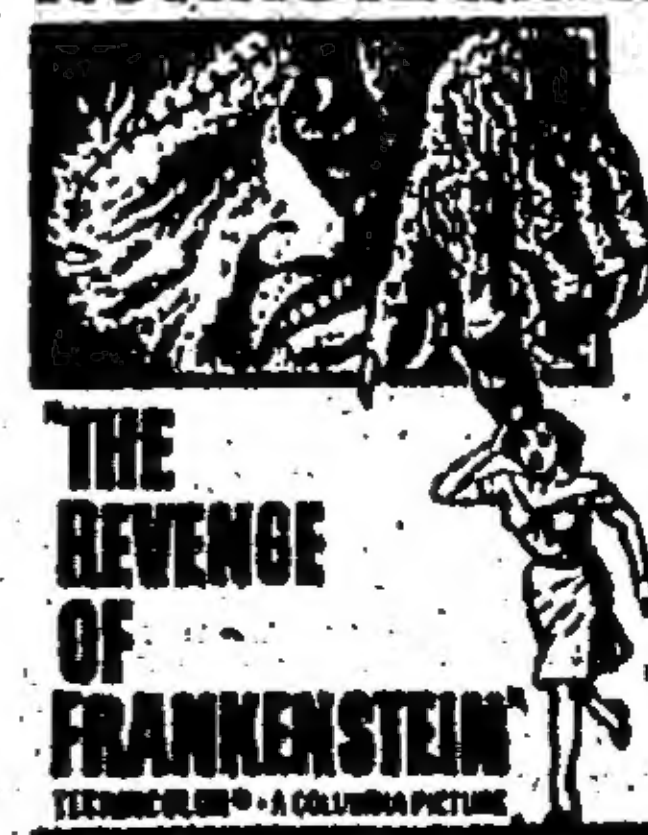
Details of the plan were announced in a White Paper yesterday. The Times warned that the whole plan is liable to fail if there was too much governmental passivity. In an editorial "Tough Assignment," this independent London daily declared: "So far only one part of the cotton reorganisation scheme has been received with unalloyed satisfaction—the Government grant of one-quarter of modernisation expenditure."

"But in the proposed stage of short, sharp contraction that must precede modernisation all is matter for doubt and controversy. 'There is little contribution that the Government can make to the question of compensation for displaced workers so long as they maintain the standpoint — as in the White Paper they still do — that this question must be left to the employers and the trade unions without any prejudicial guidance on the Government's part.'—Reuter.

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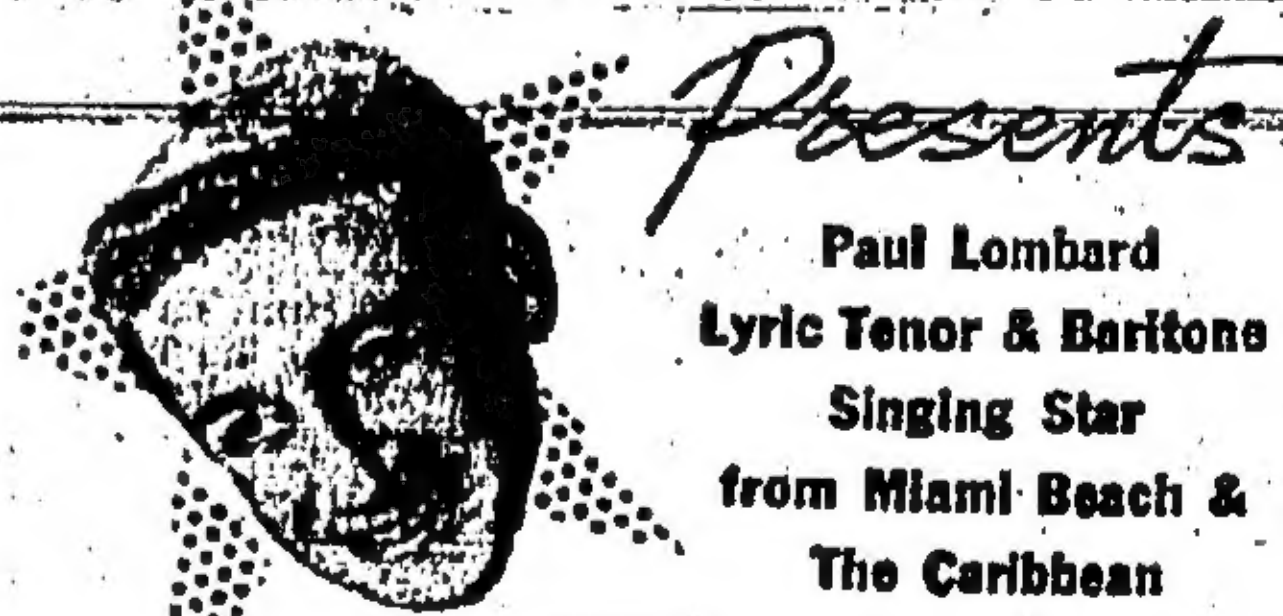
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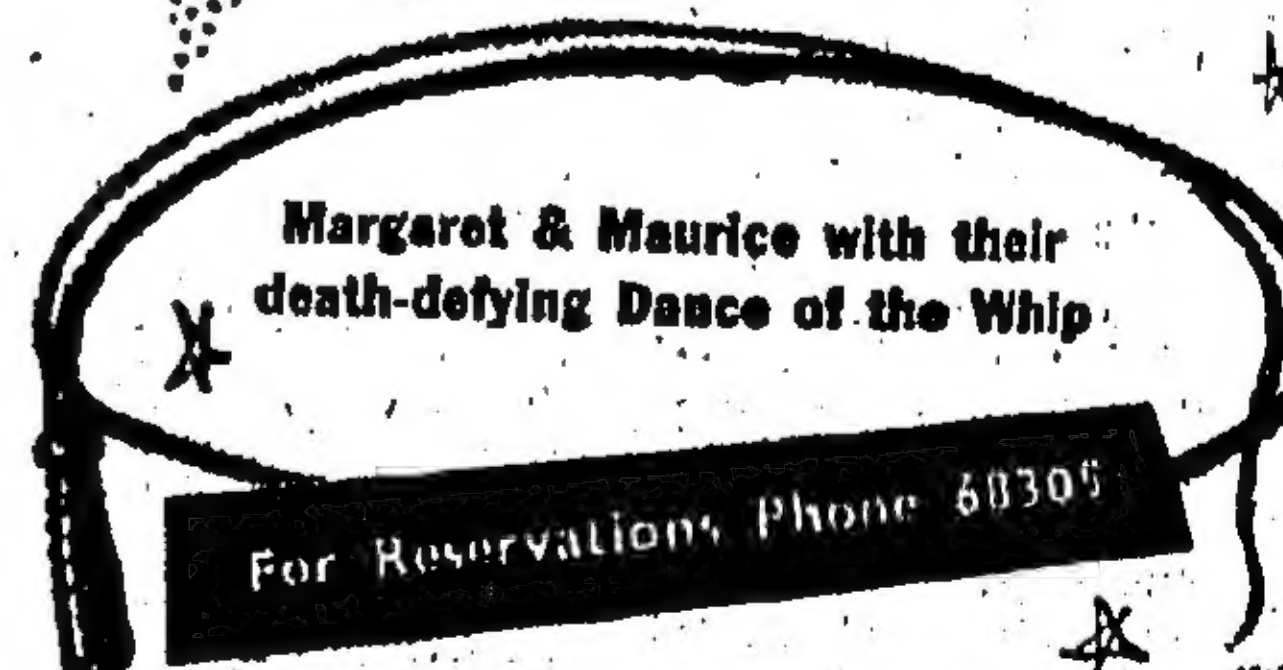
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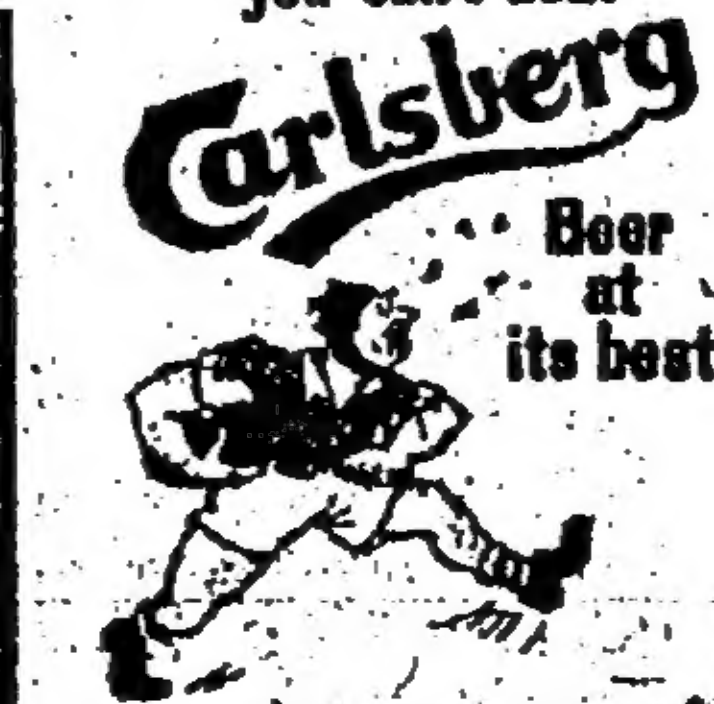
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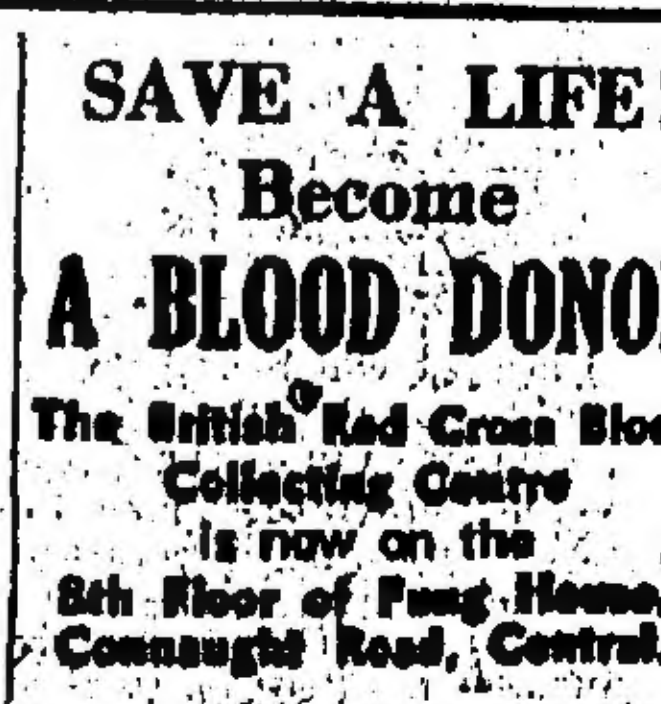
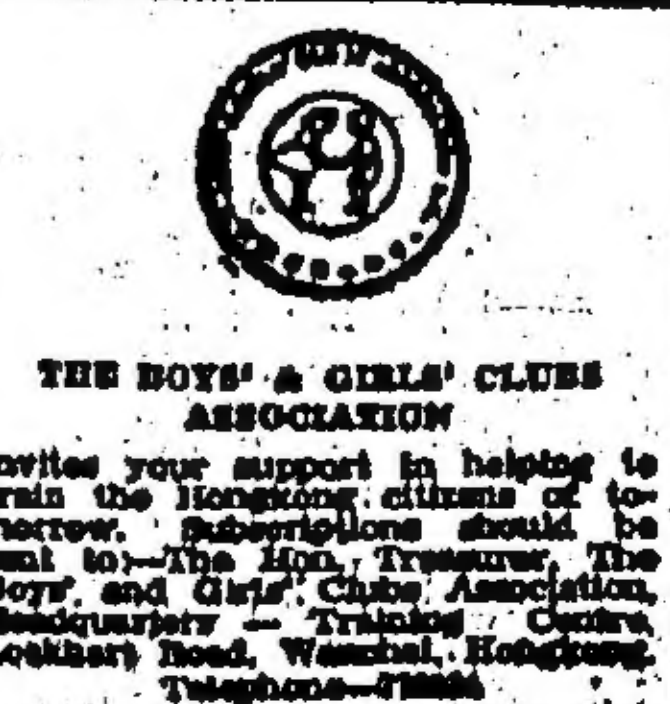
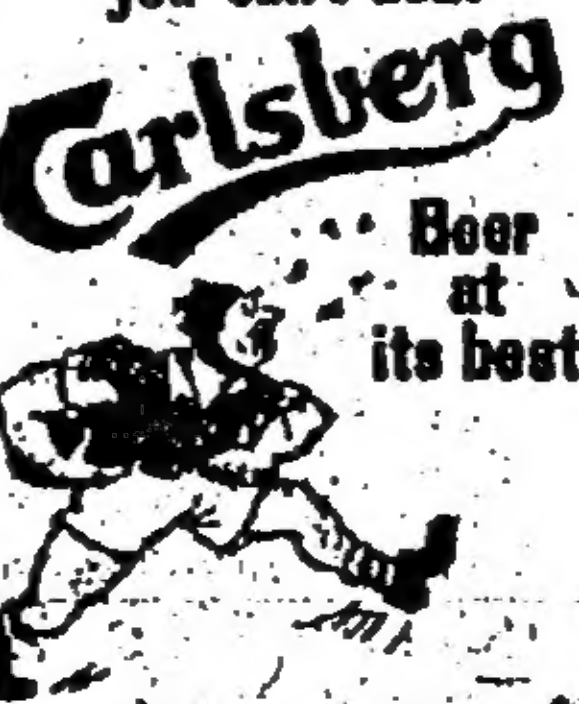
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HUNDREDS DIE—YARDS FROM THE SHORE



The pleasure steamer Dandara was on an ordinary Nile excursion trip last Friday when suddenly tragedy struck; so suddenly that though she sank in shallow water only yards from the shore, only a few of the passengers and crew were saved.

Number of those drowned is variously estimated at between 150 and 300; one who was saved was the captain, who has been arrested on a charge of negligently allowing the boat to be greatly overloaded.

UAR's President Nasser has ordered £10,000 to be made available to aid the families of the victims.

Above: A few yards from the shore, the funnel and a flag of the Dandara protrude, tragic memorials to her passengers and crew.—Express Photo.

A War Of Words On The Sidelines

Geneva, May 13.

East and West Germans are having a hot war of words on the sidelines of the Big Four conference.

The semi-official East German News Agency noted caustically yesterday that the West German Government "was not even in the position to fill the six seats assigned to it and left one vacant."

A West German spokesman retorted: "We do not go around counting chair seats. The East Germans are like a man who is invited to have a glass of beer and shows up in a dinner jacket."

Key declarations at today's session of the Big Four conference were:

Mr. Herter: "I should say the United States is in deadly earnest about wanting to reach agreements... over our shoulders, as we sit at this table, peer the anxious faces of the peoples of all the nations of the world."

Mr. Lloyd: "The problem is to find a German settlement of justice to the German people and of equity for the other peoples of Europe... in spite of an atmosphere slightly worse than that of the summit in 1955, nevertheless more can be achieved now."

Mr. Coeur de Murville: "There must be — and this is not impossible — a European and a German settlement to think that the only way out is for one part of the world to swallow up the other."

Mr. Gromyko: "From the moment of its creation, the Soviet state is a principled and consistent follower of peaceful co-existence with all peoples irrespective of differences in social systems or political organization that may exist between them."

Test Ban

Mr. Lloyd and Mr. Herter meet tomorrow morning with Mr. Gromyko in an attempt to speed up the six-month old talks on a nuclear test ban.

The American Assistant Secretary of State, Mr. Andrew Berding, said the subject tomorrow will be the conference on the suspension of testing nuclear weapons.

The two Western leaders are understood to have worked out plans for accelerating the six-month old nuclear ban conference.

Mr. Coeur de Murville is sick with a digestive complaint and not influenza as reported earlier. Informal French sources disclosed tonight.

He is not expected to be fit enough to take the chair at tomorrow's Big Four conference. The French Foreign Minister spent the day in bed at the Villa Barakat, which belonged to the late Aga Khan.—UPI and Reuter.

Canadians In Indochina

Ottawa, May 11. A party of fifty-two soldiers will be flown to Indochina this summer for the fifth rotation of Canadian army personnel undertaking international peace duty there.

Three Royal Canadian Air Force officers will also be going. Four of duty will be mainly for a year.

The soldiers and airmen will serve on the military component of the three-power International Truce Supervisory Commission in Cambodia and South Vietnam.—Reuter.

Lunik No Fraud, Experts Claim

Washington, May 13.

A University of Maryland physicist testified today that Soviet claims of having successfully fired a Lunik rocket past the moon and into the sun's orbit is supported by overwhelming evidence.

He disputed a published assertion that the Russian announcement was a hoax. Dr. Fred Singer told the House Space Committee that there was adequate evidence to prove the existence of the Russian Lunik, and that the Soviet Union was telling the truth about the January 2 launching.

Singer's testimony contradicted published stories of True Magazine scientific writer Lloyd Mallan, who claimed Lunik was nothing more than an international hoax, and never actually existed.

Air Force officials in charge of Project Spacecraft backed up Singer's conclusions. They testified that the Goldstone tracking station in California and the Stanford Research Institute monitored Lunik signals.—UPI.

Viscount Broke Up In The Air

Baltimore, Md., May 13.

Civil Aeronautics Board investigators said today that the Capital Airlines Viscount, which crashed in a thunderstorm near here yesterday, "came apart in the air."

A CAB spokesman at the scene of the crash, which killed 31 people, said there was evidence of "an explosive force"—possibly sudden decompression, but not necessarily an explosion in the usually accepted sense.

"An explosive force could have resulted from structural failure of a wing that could pierce the pressurized cabin," the CAB official said.

"But there is no longer any doubt that the plane came apart in the air, at an altitude of between 7,000 and 9,000 feet for reasons as yet undetermined"—UPI.

Up To Date

Miami, May 13. Franklin S. Sampson told a Florida Highway Patrol yesterday that his driving licence is not out of date, even though it does show an expiration date of April, 1957. It's a Saudi Arabian licence, dated by the Moslem calendar.—UPI.

Speed Vital In UK Cotton Scheme

London, May 13.

Lord Rochdale, chairman of the Cotton Board, said tonight that speed was a vital necessity in carrying out the programme of redundancy and re-equipment outlined in the government's proposals to reorganise the British cotton industry.

A bill to give effect to the proposals was given a formal first reading in the Commons tonight without discussion.

Lord Rochdale told a Press conference that everyone connected with the scheme recognised its importance and there would be considerable activity in the different sections of the industry during the next couple of months formulating definite plans for incorporation under the act.

It was not possible to announce details at this stage, he said, because the Parliamentary bill had to become an act before the sectional arrangements could be confirmed.

Each branch would put forward its own plans which would then receive the sanction of the Cotton Board and be passed on for the approval of the Board of Trade before being submitted to both Houses of Parliament.

Subsequently, the time allowed for registration of redundancy offering compensation for firms would be short—probably only a month.

In the meantime, mill owners would have been able to decide for themselves what action to take.

Voluntary

Lord Rochdale stressed that the scheme was entirely a voluntary operation.

"There is no compulsion on any mill to close down," he declared.

He refused to estimate the number of operatives likely to be displaced, pointing out that such a forecast was impossible as long as the scheme were drawn up no one could say what the response from the industry would be.

Reaction from the trade in Manchester this evening was some disappointment that the White Paper did not give more details of the amount of compensation and the various plans to be drawn up.—UPI.

Russian Warning To Greece

London, May 13.

The Soviet Government has warned Greece that if she agreed to have U.S. atomic and rocket bases on her territory Russia would consider it a hostile action, Moscow Radio reported tonight.

The radio said an aide-memoire to this effect had been handed over today to the Greek Ambassador in Moscow.

The aide-memoire said Greek agreement would "gravely impair Soviet-Greek relations" and went on:

"The Soviet Government expresses the hope that the Greek Government will attentively study the opinions expressed in the aide-memoire, will show far-sightedness and wisdom and as long as there is time, will not cross the line beyond which has direct assistance to certain foreign circles for the implementation of their aggressive plans."

(The Greek Ministry of National Defence last month confirmed that America was supplying Greece with Honest John and Nike guided missiles but Greece had so far assumed no obligation concerning the setting up of missile bases).—Reuter.

Krupp Is Impressed By Japan

Dusseldorf, May 13.

Alfried Krupp von Bohlen, head of the famous Krupp industrial empire, said on his return here today that he had been greatly impressed by the reconstruction of Japanese industry.

Krupp said that Japanese achievements in this field could be compared with the reconstruction effort in West Germany.

He said he had gone to Japan with the objective of getting to know the Japanese people and their country and of obtaining on-the-spot information on the economic and industrial situation there.

He said he had been given a wonderful reception in Japan and had nowhere else been offered such cordial hospitality.

Krupp said he had examined with Japanese firms and industrial federations the possibilities of co-operation in countries now under development.

He said he was convinced that these talks would bear fruit in the near future and added the Japanese had suggested co-operating in the second phase of the construction of Egypt's Aswan Dam.

The German industrialist also said he hoped that his firm would receive a contract to build an iron foundry in Pakistan.—AFP.

Pneumonia Improves. But....

Washington, May 13.

Mr. John Foster Dulles has made "some further improvement" in his recovery from mild pneumonia but his general condition is unchanged, the State Department reported today.

The former Secretary of State was said to be confined most of the time to his bed in Walter Reed Army Hospital where he has been almost continuously since February.

Mr. Lincoln White, the Department spokesman, told the Press briefing today: "There has been some further improvement in the pneumonia. However, there is no significant change in Mr. Dulles' general condition."

Asked whether the 71-year-old Mr. Dulles was now confined almost entirely to his bed, Mr. White said, "I think pretty much so, yes."—Reuter.

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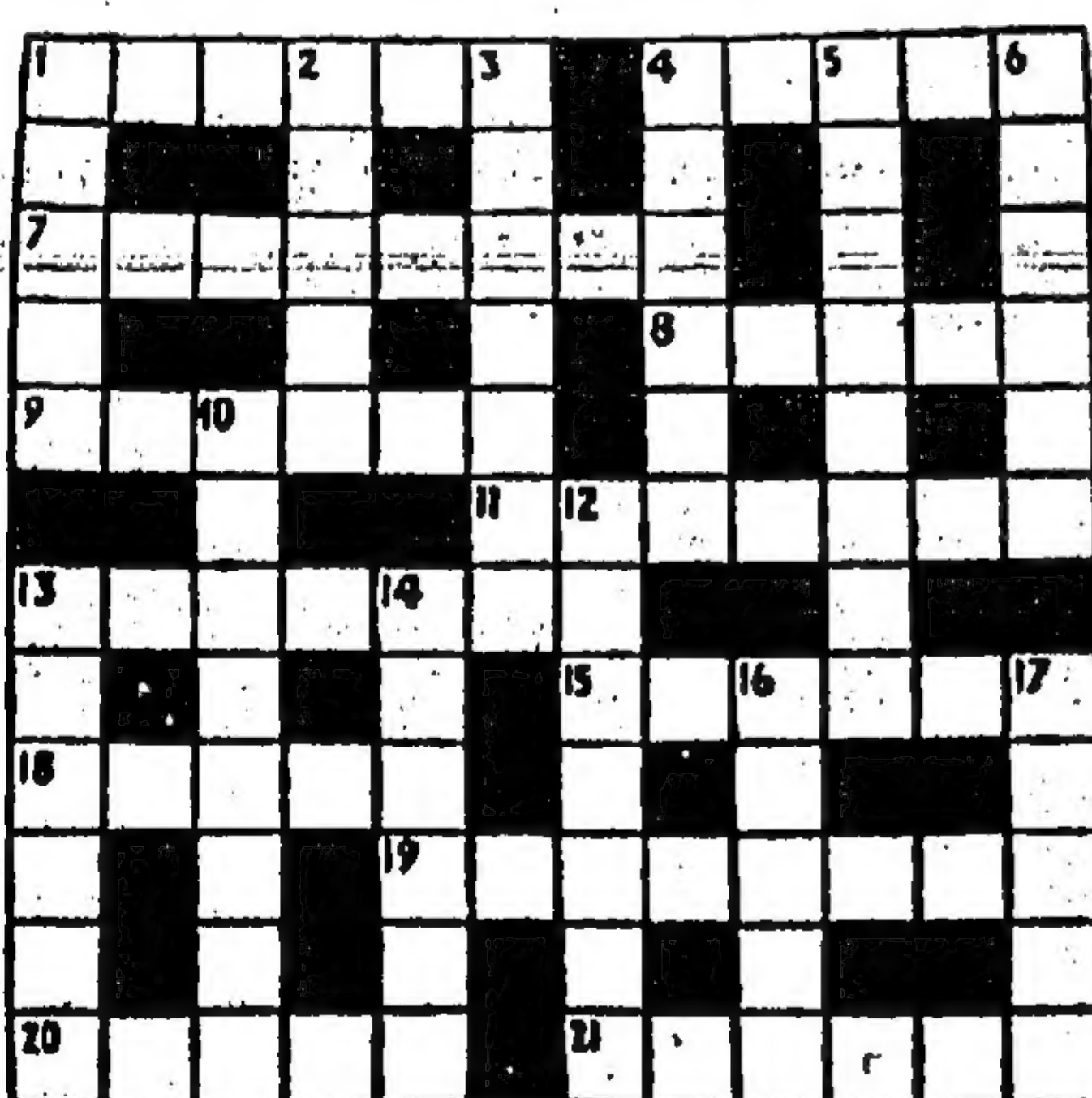
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- 2 Abstains from food (5).
- 3 Grace (6).
- 4 Cut line (5).
- 5 Seamy (6).
- 6 Plunder (7).
- 7 Quail (7).
- 8 Infrequently (6).
- 9 Concede (5).
- 10 Triumphant (6).
- 11 Finished (5).
- 12 Ditch (6).

DOWN

- 1 Lock of hair (6).
- 2 Beverage (5).
- 3 Gives in return (7).
- 4 Easiness (6).
- 5 Banner (6).
- 6 Irregular Stripe (6).
- 7 Came into view (6).
- 8 Attack (7).
- 9 Entertain sumptuously (6).
- 10 Stretch (6).
- 11 Lizard (6).
- 12 Sporting contest (5).

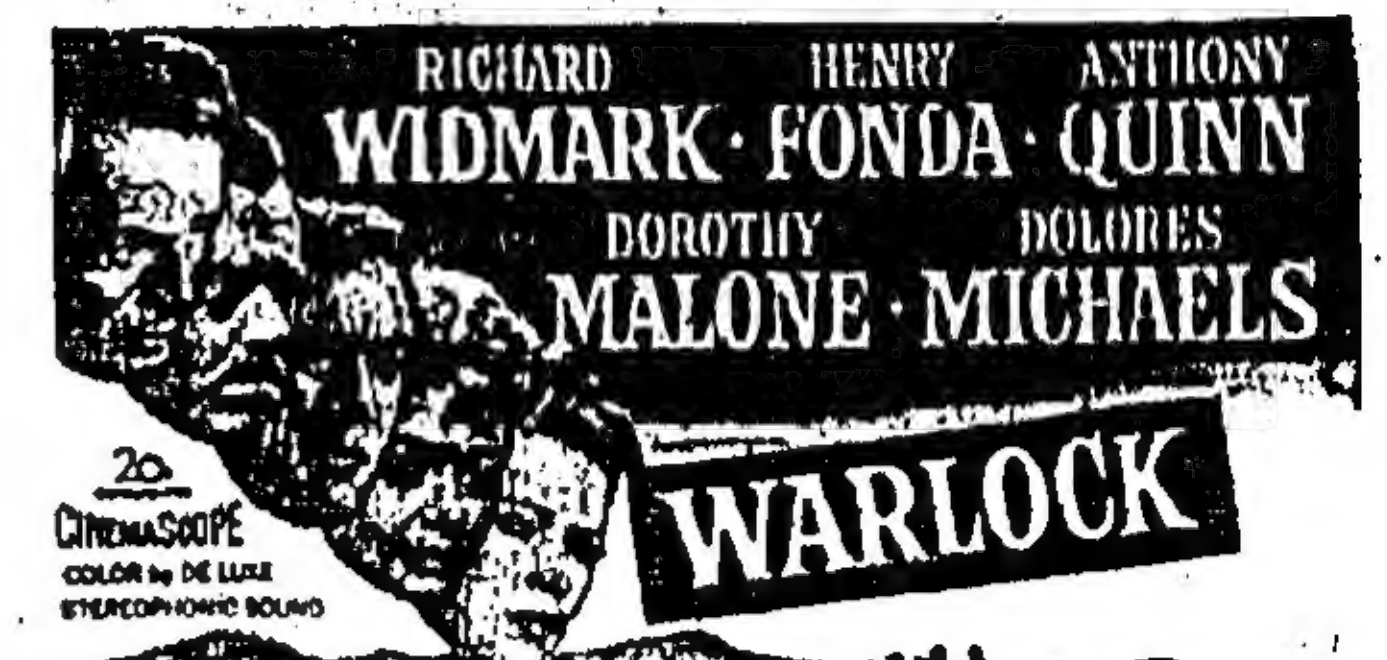
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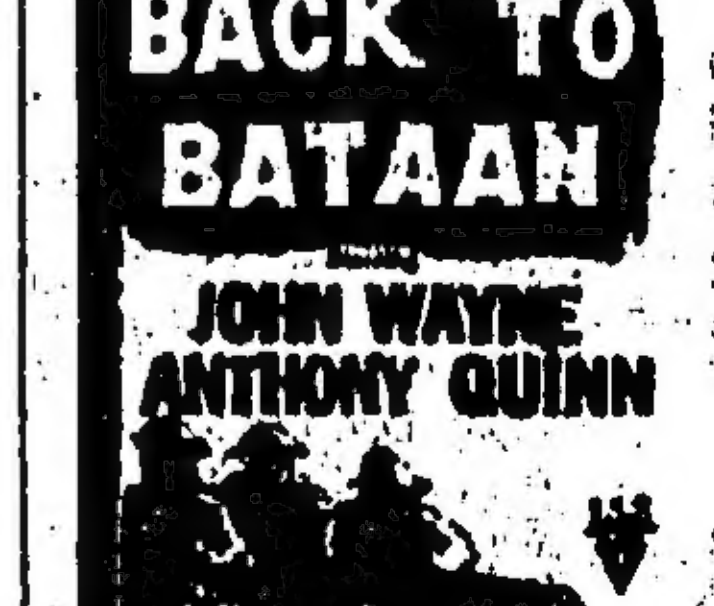
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Is it SAFE to send this man to Moscow?

by A. J. P. TAYLOR

• The brick-dropping Sir David Eccles is off again: This time he leads our trade delegation to Russia. For Britain the opportunities at this meeting are immense. But is it likely that the man who loves Germany will get the best deal from the Russians?

THERE is nothing nicer in life than to be pleased with yourself. So Mr Harold Macmillan must be a lucky man. He is not only pleased with himself. He is pleased with all his colleagues.

Especially he is pleased with Sir David Eccles, President of the Board of Trade. Gaily and confidently he defended the right of Sir David Eccles to make indiscreet remarks at a private luncheon in Germany.

Of course any individual has the right to make frivolous remarks at lunch, particularly when the Continental air has gone to his head.

But this was not an individual at lunch. This was the President of the Board of Trade, who is employed by the British taxpayers to look after British interests.

And when we have had our laugh with Mr Macmillan, we must still ask: "Is Sir David Eccles doing his job?"

The answer

Sir David Eccles, strange as it may seem, is employed to promote British trade. He does not seem to have grasped this. He regards it as his function to promote German trade. He is forever telling the Germans that he is not worried about their competition. In this happy state of freedom from worry, he is almost alone so far as the people of this island are concerned.

German competition against us is formidable. And it is successful. In one field after another the Germans are pushing us out of our place at the top of the list.

It would be silly to complain of this or to wring our hands. The answer to the German challenge is to produce better goods at more attractive prices.



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"Guten morgen, Herr Khrushchev"

But fair competition is one thing. We have to face the fact that the Germans enjoy some less fair advantages.

The Germans are not carrying the cost of the last war. While we are paying the interest on our National Debt and, as well, paying for the American Loan which the Labour Government so foolishly contracted, the Germans have seen their country reconstructed with Allied money.

They looked the conquered countries of Europe during the war. They made trivial restitution thereafter. Ever since the war, they have been given peace and security by the protection of this country and the United States. Now they even make us pay for the privilege of protecting them.

Taxes

British taxes, and British prices too, would look very different if we did not have to pay for the last war nor for war reparations now.

The Germans have been allowed to reconstruct their heavy industry. Indeed, they have been helped to do it. The Krupp works are more powerful than they have ever been. What is more, the European Common Market is working out in practice as a device for bringing all Continental resources under German control.

No one in this country wants to see the Germans poor or suffering. No one grudges their prosperity. But why should we go out of our way to aid it? Why should a British Minister regard it as his duty to promote German trade?

The explanation is simple and frightening. There are people

in this country so fearful of Russia that they think no price too high if it wins German friendship and German favour. They want to see Germany again so powerful in Europe that they can shelter in her shadow.

Such an outlook has nothing to do with party politics in the ordinary sense. The policy of building up Germany as a barrier against Russia was started by Labour's Foreign Secretary, Ernest Bevin. He was one of the greatest misfortunes this country has had to endure. And the Labour Party is now busy trying to escape from his legacy.

Sir David Eccles looks very different from Bevin. Speaks differently. Belongs to a different party. But he is a cut of the same joint so far as Germany is concerned. Indeed he goes further. Bevin had no high opinion of the Germans. He merely wanted to make use of them as a protection against Russia. Sir David Eccles thinks that the Germans are the finest people in the world.

Admiration

He carries this admiration so far as to be enthusiastic about our Hanoverian kings. It would be interesting to know which of them he admires most. Perhaps George I who kept his wife in solitary confinement for thirty years?

Maybe he can and some good in George III, whose narrow-minded obstinacy lost us the American colonies, ruined the happiness of his own children, and then drove him mad himself. Sir David Eccles, the later George IV, the scandal even of an immoral age?

A Briton must be far gone in admiration for Churchill, if he thinks that there is anything to be done with the Hanoverian kings except to forget them. They were a bad lot, even for Germans.

Germans themselves take no notice of this kind of rubbish. They take it as what it is—empty flattery. But they also take the encouragement

and assistance. They note the invitation from Sir David Eccles to break into Commonwealth markets. They will accept it. They will be "good Europeans." They will make Germany strong. And then, at a suitable moment, they will do a deal with Russia, when Russia offers them a suitable price. We and the Russians are playing a foolish game when we compete for Germany's friendship. A game where only the Germans can win. Far better, far simpler, is to improve our own relations with Russia.

There, for one thing, lies a tremendous market for British goods and British equipment if we handle the chance properly. But who is going to handle the chance for us? Who is to lead our trade delegation to Russia? None other than Sir David Eccles, enthusiast for the Hanoverians.

Two roles

This is worse than what happened before the war. Then Lord Halifax went to Germany to butter up Hitler. And we sent a Foreign Office clerk called Strang to negotiate an alliance with the Russians.

This time Sir David Eccles is to combine the two roles. Having performed as Lord Halifax in Germany, he will present himself as William Strang when he arrives in Moscow.

Sir David Eccles believes that British people do not read their newspapers except for sport, and the winner of the 2,500. Perhaps, however, he is an exception. Perhaps he reads an occasional newspaper, especially if it contains his own name.

In that case, here is a little message to Sir David Eccles. We do not ask you to resign. We do not ask you to stay in time. Don't go to Moscow. Leave your beloved Germans to their prosperity. We are resigned to your dropping of bricks. But people in other countries may take you seriously. That would be unfortunate for them and, still more, for us.

—(London Express Service).

WHY NOT A ROYAL TOUR OF RUSSIA?

• It would do more than anything else to end the cold war...and, in fact, I forecast that Prince Philip WILL go....

DON IDDON'S DIARY

New York. I HAVE had to supply the Canadian authorities with four passport photographs, details of professional status and biographical data before I am granted my credentials to report the royal tour of Canada.

I have also had to provide information to the City Council of Chicago and Detroit which the Queen and Prince Philip will visit.

This is unusual but, although protocol on this six-week royal tour will be at a minimum, security will be at a maximum and no gatecrashers are welcome.

I'm told it's going to be a different brand of royal visit—trips down mines, a flight far into Yukon, forays into supermarkets, racetracks, ball games, and of course schools and hospitals.

There will be some formal occasions, a couple of garden

parties, for instance, and I have resurrected from my cupboard an ancient morning coat which I wore in Newfoundland when King George VI and Queen Elizabeth held a garden-party at St John's in 1939.

The coat and trousers, as good as new, merely had to be let out 2½ in.—not bad for a 20-year lapse.

The royal tour I should like to see, say, next year, would be to the Soviet Union. A State visit by the Queen and Prince Philip to Moscow, Kiev, and Leningrad would do more to end the cold war and ease international tension than anything I can think of.

The reception by the Russians would be tumultuous. The Queen would be a sensation. It is a pity to think about and not reject out of hand as "without precedent" or "certain to offend the Americans."

We have to live our own lives (thank you, Field Marshal Montgomery). I know from an old friend in the Palace that Prince Philip is very keen to take a good, hard look at the Soviet Union. He should make such a trip, and my forecast is that he will.

America weeps for Arthur Godfrey

SINCE the clinical details of John Foster Dulles' illness were announced, and the operation for cancer on the performer Arthur Godfrey took place last week, American contributions to the fight against cancer have

trebled. More money has been raised in the past month than the previous three months. Arthur Godfrey's operation has dramatized man's struggle against the disease even more than the former Secretary of State's tragic resignation.

Godfrey, perhaps not well known outside America, is far and away the top personality in show business here—the highest paid radio and TV star, the best loved and worst hated.

Storm centre

This red-haired, homely man of 55 has been the storm centre of Madison Avenue and the nationwide networks of television and radio for over a decade. Once he became so arrogant that people said he should delete the "fry" from his name.

He openly boasted on the air that he kept the giant Columbia Broadcasting System in business and scoffed that he earned \$2,000,000 for the company. The boast was true. In a fit of pique he fired the singer Julius La Rosa before 7,000,000 people at the end of one of his programmes—the most public firing in history. Later he said, "Julius lacked humility."

He played golf with Eisenhower regularly until abruptly the President dropped him. He talked of holding high political office as his power swelled to monstrous proportions.

His critics said he drank too much, had become a dictator, was utterly ruthless and detested from coast to coast.

That was yesterday. Today Godfrey sits in the Columbia Presbyterian Hospital in New York City and the tears flow as he talks of the last great surge of affection, even love, for him that swept America last week.

There has been something approaching mass hysteria since Godfrey was stricken. A grief as great as that engendered by the death of Rudolph Valentino has engulfed the country.

And Godfrey himself, displaying a warmth and gallantry which some didn't suspect, is saying: "Well, I guess they had to take the ivy out of this old tree. But the good Lord willing, I will be back on the air." The ivy referred to was a cancerous lung. No illness, not even those of Mr Eisenhower or Mr Dulles, has been so publicized.

Before he went to hospital Godfrey, between playing his banjo, wisecracking and selling



"Well, I guess they had to take the ivy out of this old tree," called Godfrey....

boy friend. I want a man, not a girl—someone like Rhett Butler in Gone with the Wind, strong, gentle, sensitive, but with humour. Where is he?"

I said I knew of no such paragon among my friends.

Joanna will probably accept the Hollywood offer and try "serious" acting. She is bored with her £2,500 mink, her sports car, her flat, and her house in Connecticut.

"I find my life dull, dandy dull. I think I'll travel again."

Her opinion of Suzy Parker? The greatest.

In the spring

New York in the springtime and my friend McNeill Cooper-Key, member of Parliament for Hastings, here on parliamentary duties and business, takes a look at Manhattan after a three-year absence.

"The city looks bright and beautiful with the great bowls of tulips on Fifth Avenue and Central Park as green as Ireland. I'm surprised how many New Yorkers, the men I mean, have become Anglicised—dark suits, stiff collars, bowler hats, rolled umbrellas."

"The women seem less uniform or standardised. On my last visit everyone around Fifty-seventh Street in Midtown wore exactly the same sort of mink stole. Not now."

"I find manners much better. The Americans are becoming more mature, more understanding, more assured. The face of New York has changed drastically, but it's always changing."

"I hope all these massive new buildings are financially sound. The boom is prodigious."

"One small criticism: our taxicabs are two years ahead of New York's. We can teach them something and perhaps learn a little ourselves. Newspapers carry far more detailed news and features about England than they used to. New York females 'one' of my very favourite cities."

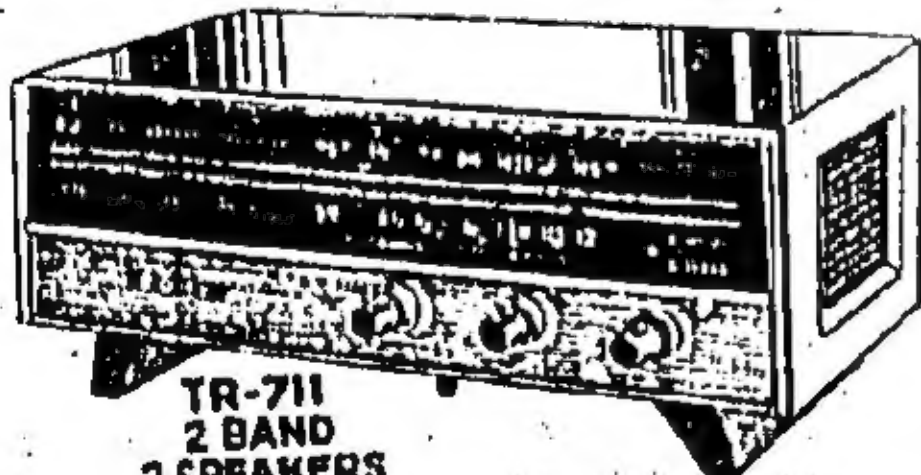
A new name

America's top model is no longer Suzy Parker, but a new name in show business, Joanna McCormack, who earns £500 a week for wearing clothes.

Metro is after her and so is Paramount. But Joanna, with her £25 an hour, says: "I don't know. I'd like to do something creative. I earn a lot of money. I travel a lot. I haven't a real

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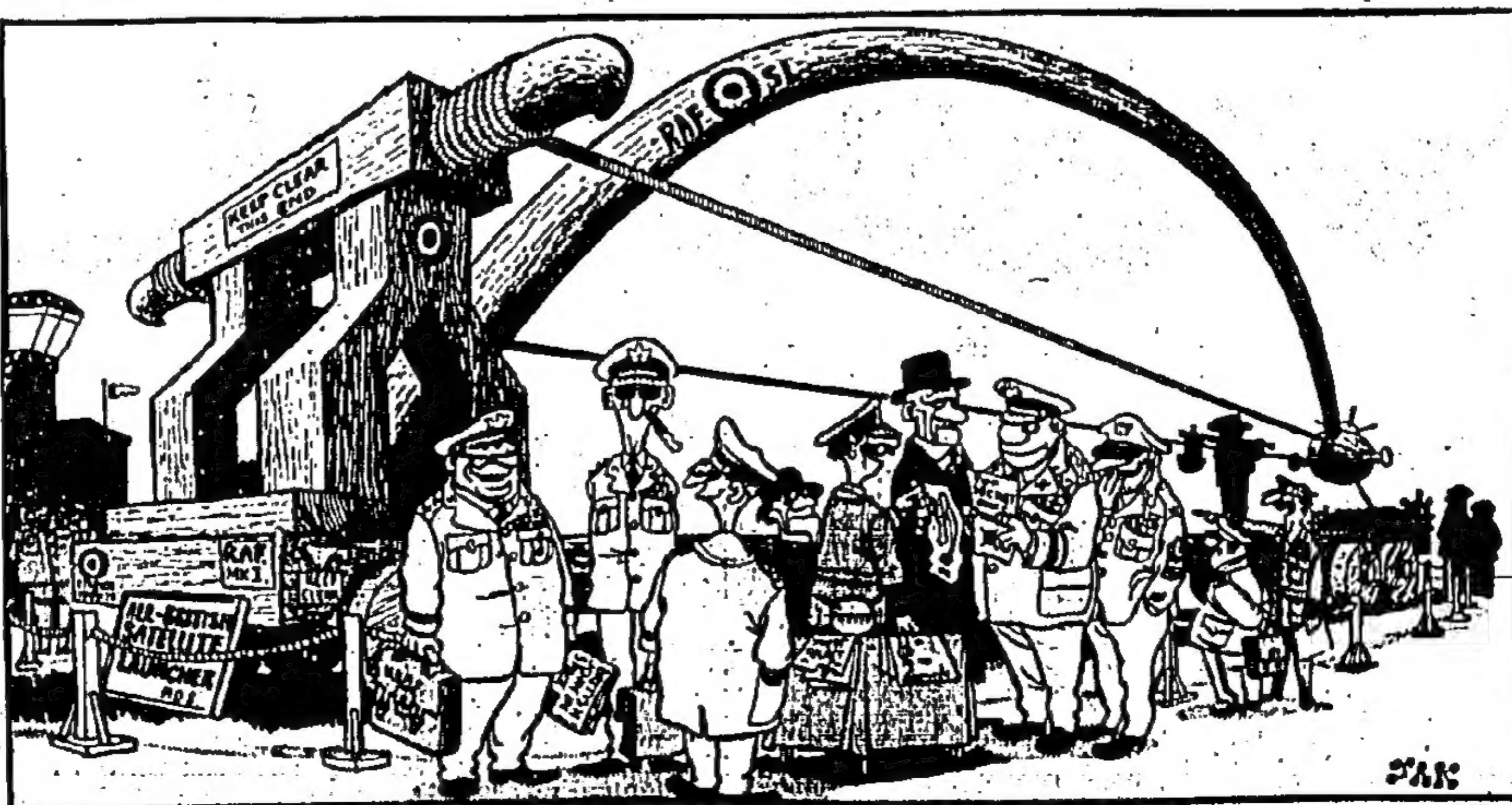


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PLAN FOR PACKING

YOUR BIRTHDAY ... By STELLA

THURSDAY, MAY 14

BORN today, you have strong likes and dislikes, and you show them, too. You know what you want and make no bones about it. Sometimes your lack of diplomacy upsets your best friend. It is always good to be frank and honest in your convictions, but sometimes you need to be polite if you are to succeed in your plans.

You must learn not to care how much you are opposed to at first, for sometimes your ideas are a little ahead of the times. Just be self-confident. Eventually you will win others over to your side of the fence. In the meantime, be patient and optimistic. You have the ability to influence people, for you have the gift of being able to talk well in public. You write well, too, and usually have something important to say.

It is likely that the physical sciences will interest you. If you are trained in this field, you could make some important contribution to the world's knowledge. You have the

FRIDAY, MAY 15

TAURUS (Apr. 21-May 21)—Play it safe today! Not the time for risk-taking, so look carefully before you leap.

GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—One of those days when you can get your social life all tangled up! Be tactful and polite.

CANCER (June 22-July 23)—Be conservative. Don't run the risk of straining your luck. It's been pretty good lately!

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—Don't let imagination and impulse carry you off on pink clouds of unreality. Be practical.

VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Stick to facts. A deal which has been pending all week may terminate now. Be astute.

LIBRA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—Don't depend upon the promises of others. What you know and can see, you can count on.

JACOBY on BRIDGE

HARRY JOHNSON of Harrisburg who sat South with the opening hand led in his own hand and led a low spade. West played the six and dummy's queen held the trick. Your rounds of clubs came next and since West had to follow to the first three leads, Harry was able to get rid of both his losing diamonds. West made his ace and Jack of trumps but Harry made his contract.

The game was duplicate and Harry writes that while the result was more than satisfactory his partner was rather critical of both his bidding and play.

North contended that Harry should have doubled five hearts and taken it safe profit and that Harry should have played the

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♣	A	J 9 3
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♥	K	3
♦	8	5
♣	Q	2
North and South vulnerable.		
♠	1	4
♥	5	4
♦	5	4
♣	5	4
Opening lead—♥ 6		

♥CARDSENSE♦

Q—The bidding has been: East South West North 3♠ Pass Pass Double Pass 3NT Pass 4♥ Pass 7. You South hold: ♠A54 ♥KQ7 ♦A854 ♣KQ3. What do you do?

A—You have underbid so far and it is high time to come out of the bushes. Bid four spades to show the ace.

TODAY'S QUESTION

Your partner bids five hearts. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow

SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"But, dear, I want a ride on the escalator!"

NO matter how you travel, luggage problems can upset the most looked-forward-to holiday.

If you're the ultra-cautious type who takes too much time worrying about the darn stuff, running it aboard trains, airplanes, ships, through customs, paying out a fortune in tips to porters, transforming your holiday room into a left-luggage office—and the chances are, you won't need half the things you've packed.

On the other hand you may be one of the toothbrush-and-nightie brigade who has to spend fretful hours in sun-shorts waiting for that one beach-dress-cum-cocktail-dress-cum-evening-dress to drip (maddeningly slowly) dry while a date gets huffier and huffier.

AN EYEFUL?

Now, whether you're out to snare some off-duty Romeo or simply to let the old man see you're still an eye for an eye, you're going to need a well-chosen holiday wardrobe. But that doesn't

By KATE DALRYMPLE

mean that you have to lumber yourself with what my Latin grammar so rightly called "impedimenta."

As a guide to those who can't make up their minds about what to pack I've drawn up a holiday wardrobe plan which should require no more than a good-sized suitcase plus a small case for make-up, reading and writing matter.

In planning this wardrobe I've assumed a full holiday programme, allowing for swimming and sunbathing, sightseeing, touring, cocktails of an evening followed by dinner and dancing.

FIRST

Biggest item first: An all-purpose proof coat, elegant enough to slip over your shoulders on a cool evening, stout enough to huddle into if

the weather turns nasty—as it can, even on the Costa Brava. (This item, of course, will be carried, not packed.)

For travelling, a jacketed travel dress, lightweight and crease-resistant. (No need to pack this, either.)

Then, into the case should go a sun dress, plain and white to set off that luscious tan you hope you're going to acquire. With it, a cardigan jacket, white if possible and drip-dry, to team with the sun-dress and the matching shirt and trousers which together will be your slight-soiling and daylight socialising rig.

Playwear should be limited to swimsuit (the new cover-up style if you want to be fashionable), shorts, taper-tailored, mid-thigh length are "in" and a gay poncho or towelling over-shirt with sleeves.

Finally, you'll want something smart for cocktail-time and evening wear. A very simple cocktail or dinner dress is the answer. No one will expect you to have entirely formal evening wear. And this should be light-coloured to make that tan seem even more golden in artificial light.

As for footwear: You'll need no more than medium heels for travelling, canvas-topped rope soles for day-wear, and something high-heeled, lightweight and glamorous for evenings.

If you're the type who tans easily include one of the now "white" lipsticks in your make-up kit, or try the latest "pearly" lipstick just coming out of the market. Whatever you do, avoid lush red lipstick once you have tanned. It will only make you swear.

A "must" for your holiday pack-sunglasses. For year these have ceased to be an optical comfort and become a social necessity. The bigger the lenses, the thicker the rims, the more like the sort Grace Kelly wears, the better.

Cloths And Colours

HAVE you ever met a colourist? MRS VERA KAY is the only woman colourist in England and she designs the top fashion woolen cloths used by British designers. Her husband, MR LIONEL J. KAY, is the other half of the team, making up the famous wool cloth house of DUMAS & MAURY.

This firm is distinguished in that it is the only textile house

to be honoured as an Associate Member of the Incorporated Society of London Fashion Designers.

Mrs Kay is full of good practical advice as well as artistic inspiration and enthusiasm. "Woolen cloths are the raw materials of the fashion industry," she said emphatically, "and fashions rapidly change materials must be well ahead of the trends."

"The quality of British woolens has never been disputed abroad, but now we have to

add top fashion. Today, weights, weaves and textures make each cloth different, individual and fashion conscious."

PLANNING AHEAD

Already planning for next autumn, Vera Kay gives us a hint of things to come. "Summer yellows will deepen to bronze... light grey to pewter... and the materials themselves will be more and more intricate with tremendous texture interest. Don't play so safe that you look drab," advises Mrs Kay. "A mauve coat of the right shade will go with as many textures as black or brown and is so much more cheering. If you pick a basic shade such as grey, see that it has 'life' in it."

"Today we have colour in films, colour in the home and most nearly enough lovely colour in fashion. Good woolen cloths take dye so beautifully in rich 'full' tones which need not be bright."

Mrs Kay believes that piece dyes will tend to replace the multi-colours we have been choosing. Co-related dress and jacket or dress and coat fabrics will be more similar in weights, and will get lighter and less bulky all the time, to match the sleekness of current fashion trends.

STUDY ACCESSORIES

"When choosing a new fashion colour in cloth, look at your accessories," advises Mrs Kay. "Study the famous paintings and note how the minor 'accessory' colours link up with the dominating hue. 'British cloths will become more and more fashionable to keep up with competition,' adds this famous textile designer, who believes that we can help ourselves by wearing more fashion-conscious colours and textures."

BEAUTY HINTS

By PATRICIA COMPTON

A few drops of oil, spread on dry skin before applying make-up foundation will give you a smooth looking complexion.

If your fingernails tend to split easily when you file them do not file them in the usual way. Instead file them straight across and never low down at the sides, as this tends to take away the elasticity of the nails.

If your hair is very oily, shampoo it frequently, about twice a week. After washing it, rub your scalp lightly with your fingers, after moistening them in alcohol.

When patting on powder start with the chin and work upwards to the forehead. Your makeup will acquire a more natural look.

It is very necessary to give your back and neck a thorough hard scrubbing with a loofah as often as you take a bath.

Want to make your eyelashes grow? Before going to bed each night smooth a little vasoline on the top and bottom lashes. The

fat in the milk will make them grow longer and thicker.

Astringents and tonic lotions should always be applied with a damp pad of cotton wool, otherwise a lot is wasted.

To get a high gloss on your hair see that you get your share of mineral foods. Don't goot your apples, carrots and potatoes. Scrub them well and eat them skins and all.

If you want your eyebrows to retain their youthful charm, don't rest with them on the table.

If you want to wear a high hat perched straight on your head, make sure your eyebrows are not arched.

Lips can be protected from winds with lip gloss applied over your lipstick. This gives a smooth, supple appearance and checks cracking.

Always use a wad of fresh cotton wool when applying dry rouge. A grubby one is the surest way to blackheads and enlarged pores.

Marvellous Matchmates



By GRACE THORNCIFFE

DYED-TO-MATCH skirts and blouses seem to have given way, this season, to the dyed-to-match skirt and cashmere sweater. Here is a sample: a grey or champagne beige. The cashmere sweater has deeper toned edging to match the decorative piping on the skirt, which is a wool and cashmere blend. The sweater collar can be closed with the buttoned tab or worn casually open.

STORIES FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

Chris Cricket's Song

—It Was About The Toys Who Wanted To Travel—

By MAX TRELL

CHRISTOPHER Cricket came out from behind the bricks in the fireplace where he was spending the winter and sat himself down on the carpet. Across his back, he had his guitar, hanging from a strap.

"I'm about to sing a song," he said in a cheerful voice.

Louder Voice

Having said this, Christopher looked around the room. No one seemed to be paying any attention to him. So he said in a louder voice: "I'm about to sing a song!" And he twanged the strings of his guitar.

At this, Knarf, the Shadow Boy, with the Turned-About Name, Teddy, the Stuffed Bear, and Hiawatha, the Small-Sized Wooden Indian, came out from under the sofa, where they were hunting, and hurried over to Christopher.

"Sit down, please," said Christopher Cricket. "And listen to my song! I'm only going to sing it once so you'd better listen very carefully."

"What's your song going to be about?" asked Teddy. "It's going to be about the Toys Who Wanted to Take a Trip."

Began His Song

Then Christopher Cricket began his song. "I can give you the exact words that Christopher Cricket sang, but I'll tell you the story of the song, which is pretty much the same thing."

"Just then, another voice spoke up. It was Marble. 'I can take a longer trip than both of you put together. You can't bounce,' said Rubber Ball to Marble."

"You can't spin," said Top to Marble.

"But I can roll," said Marble.

"And now several other voices joined in the argument. The Little Wooden Cart said it could roll further than Marble could, for it had wheels to roll on which none of the others had."

"And Kilo said it could fly in the air like a bird, which none of the others could do at all."

"I can fly," said Aeroplane, "and I don't need any strings to hold me to the ground."

"I can run," said the Clock. "I can sail," said the Boat. "I can go on a trip all around the world."

Rupert and the Truant—6



Rosie runs up to join Rupert. "You spoke of going to Santa Claus," she said. "That reminds me that I haven't done so and I've written an address for you. You'll never get it unless you address it properly for me 2."



"Just write 'Santa Claus' and the postman will do the rest." "Oh, I don't trust postmen that far!" shouts Rupert, getting into a temper. "You're clever, so please put the proper address in." "Oh, all right," agrees Rupert. "But I run home now—it's getting late."

Take Care To Sidestep That Middle-Aged Look



A WOMAN LOOKS older when feet hurt, so go easy on yours. After a hard day, treat them to a warm, sudsy bath.

By JEANNE D'ARCY

YOU can't take a vacation from beauty. It's a day-in, day-out, never-let-up proposition.

This is especially so as time marches on. Grow lax, skip good-looks routines and suddenly—or so it seems to you—a moving when you look in the mirror and discover you're plump and apparently on the verge of middle-age. There's a discouraging picture!

Little By Little

Does it happen overnight? Of course not! It creeps up, little by little, as you lapse into lazy ways and neglect the all-important Y-O-U. Oddly enough, that middle-aged look is most apt to strike the woman who starts life with everything in the way of beauty assets. Confident she's attractive, she relaxes in that knowledge.

On the other hand, a plain type, who must work to look her best, goes into the good grooming habit and follows it forever. As a result, middle years are likely to find her handsome and youthful.

Revealing Questions

Which category fits you best? In doubt? Then ask yourself these questions. Some of them will help you to see yourself as others really see you.

Others will indicate where you may be slipping up on the good-looks job. Honest answers will tell you what you want to know or, as the case may be, what you may not be too happy to hear:

1. Do you look poised and well-groomed? Does your appearance indicate that you really care about nice clothes, that you spend time shopping and dressing? Do you look like "somebody's wife" or do you rate as "a charming, appealing woman"?

Figuratively Speaking

2. Do you watch your figure, count calories, keep an eye on the scale so you can diet if the needle noses up a pound or two? Do you wear a girdle to keep your figure in line, or is it more "comfortable" to go without one?

3. Does your complexion get plenty of pampering—a morning and night careful exfoliating, a before-bedtime creaming?

4. Do you shampoo hair once a week, so that it always looks sparkling clean? Do you have it shaped often, or do you keep the colour neat and becoming?

5. Do you, rather than in bath or shower daily? Use deodorant? Take advantage of scented accessories—dusting powder, Cologne and perfume?

6. Do you give feet a break? Wear medium-height heels for walking? Visit the chiropodist for serious problems? Soak feet in a soapy bath when they're tired after a day of pounding pavements?

7. Do your nails get a weekly manure?

8. Do you, in short, follow faithfully routines designed to keep you at your beauty best not just now, but in years to come?

PATIENT CAN HELP

HIGH blood pressure and hardening of the arteries seem to go together, but not all the time. Arteriosclerosis—hardening of the arteries—and hypertension—high blood pressure—are not one and the same thing, although many think they are.

Many persons have hardening of the arteries although their blood pressure is normal or even low. By the same token, many victims of hypertension have perfectly normal arteries for their age.

CAUSES UNCERTAIN

Actually, we don't know for sure just what causes hardening of the arteries although we suspect certain fatty substances of playing a villainous role.

We do know that arteriosclerosis is associated with age. Your arteries are just as old as you are. And with advancing age they lose a good deal of their elasticity.

HOW ARTERIES FEEL

If you have arteriosclerosis, the arteries just under your skin probably will feel like pipe stems.

Often the hardening process goes hand in hand with a thickening of the artery walls. Naturally, such a thickening shows down the flow of blood.

In some cases the blood is slowed so much the clots form. When these clots occur in large arteries, they are often dislodged. But they may then plug up one of the smaller branches of that artery.

A STROKE

If a small artery in the brain becomes completely plugged, the result is a stroke, or apoplexy. And this means real trouble.

Doctors have drugs, of course, to keep the blood from clotting. Moreover, doctors can do much in other ways to aid a person with hardening of the arteries.

SOME RULES

But the patient himself can help his own cause, too. So let me pass on a few rules for those with arteriosclerosis to follow:

1. Maintain a good diet.

2. Stay at a good healthy weight. Your doctor will tell you what weight this is.

3. Lead a relatively quiet life. Avoid undue excitement and continued overwork.

In short, don't overdo anything.

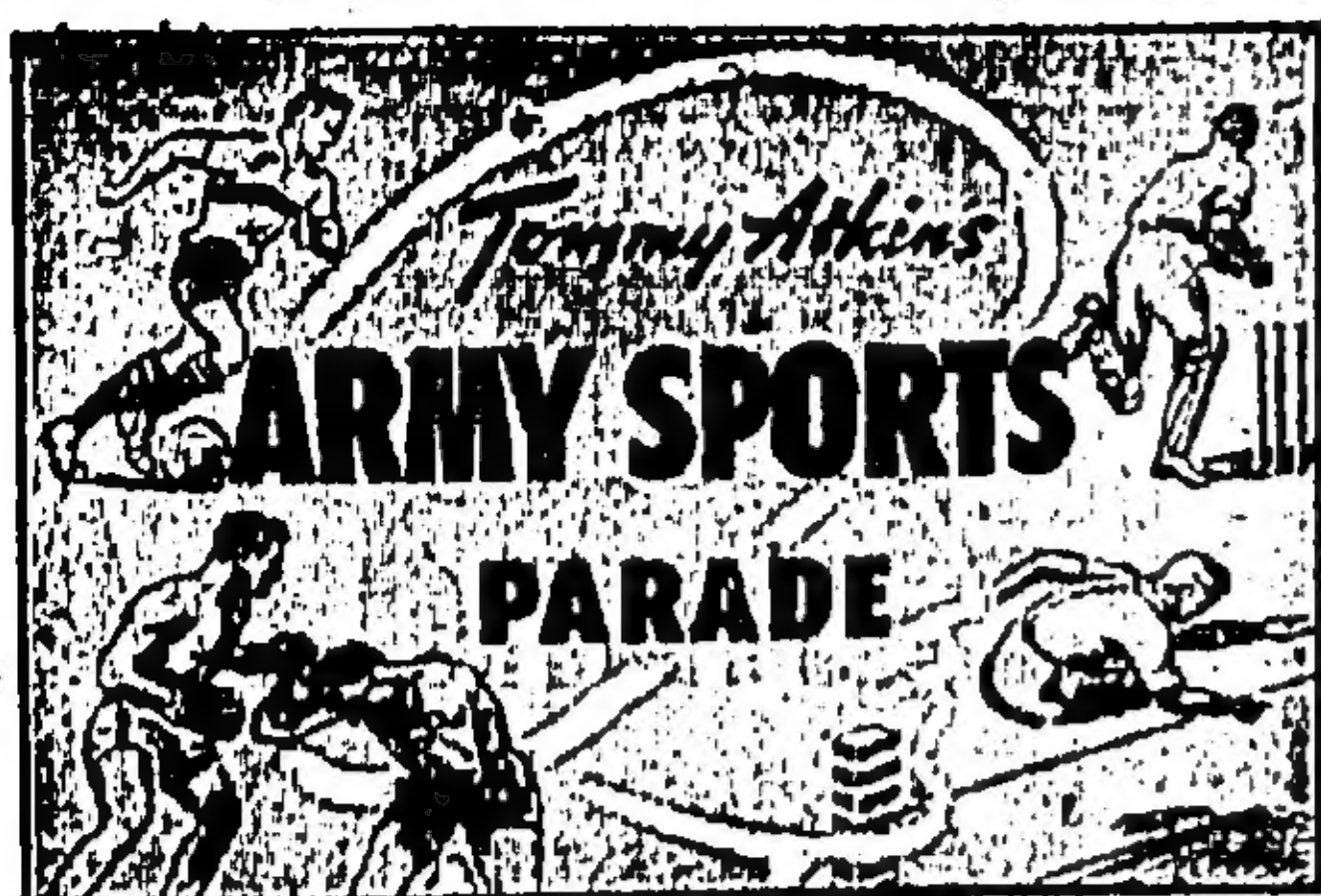
By H. N. BUNDISIN, M.D.

Household Hints

The best grade of mull is cut carefully with regard for the grain of the material. This makes a great difference in the way the garment fits and hangs.

It also makes the garment more expensive, for it means that more material must be thrown away.

New all-plastic scrub brushes are resistant to the warping and swelling which sometimes causes brushes to loosen or wear unevenly.



Both the Army first and reserves division football teams were in action during the weekend. In the first division Army were successful against CAA by seven goals to nil. This game, played in patches, simply showed the difference between our team who were very fit indeed, and CAA who were anything but fit. Playing well within themselves Army piled on the pressure when necessary, and goals came steadily right the way through. In spite of the heat, our players always fought for the ball, and gave a lesson in good clean passing.

The reserves received a rude setback to their hopes of capturing the reserve division championship, and were defeated by Kitchener by two goals to nil. It was most unfortunate that both Huddell and Nelland were on the Empire Fowley bound for England. The team had settled down very well indeed after their loss of a number of players, but once again reputation was to be their main enemy.

Caldbeck Cup

The Hongkong semi-finals of the Caldbeck Cup were played at Sookunpo last week, and 1 Lan R (PWV) and Royal Engineers are due to meet in the final, which will be played at Sookunpo on May 20 starting at 4.30 p.m. The first game between 1 Lan R (PWV) and 1/2 Gurkha Rifles was a very fast and exciting game, and went into extra time before the Lanes finally showed their superiority. 1 Lan R (PWV) were the first to score through their centre-forward Fritsch, but the Gurkhas were soon hot on their trail. Two minutes later Balabandur Subba equalised. Five minutes from half-time, Todd on the right wing put over a very good centre. Fritsch, with his eye always on the ball, headed the ball out of the Gurkha goalkeeper's hands.

Fine Saves

Soon after this the ball was back in the 'Lanes' half of the field, and Bhupasing Thapa, cutting in from the right wing, scored a beautiful goal to equalise once again.

In the extra time, contrary to expectations the Lanes were a little flatter than the Gurkhas. They were rewarded with a goal, scored just before the teams turned round for the second period of extra time.

The second game between RE and RASC got under way as soon as the first game had finished. Ashworth, the S and T goalkeeper, was in very good form, and was responsible for a number of very fine saves.

Quite against the run of play RASC scored first. A misunderstanding between Woodcock and Green allowed Holland to nip in, and snatch a goal.

Two Goals By Rain

By half-time the RASC were still in the lead by this solitary goal.

With time running out in the second half the 'Supporters' piled on everything that they had, and at last they were rewarded. Rain at centre forward pesticed himself very nicely indeed, and with a very nice shot scored the equaliser.

One minute later, the delight of the RE spectators, Rain scored the deciding goal.

After a three-year tour of duty in the Colony the 1st Battalion, The Green Howards left on the Empire Fowley last week for new pastures.

We shall miss their many sporting personalities who did so much to put Army sport on the map.

With so many trophies 'in the bag' their record will be a source of inspiration to the new Regiment.

Winners of the Major Units athletic championships, a record second to none in the boxing championships, a very close second in rugby, and so on, they have almost cornered all the trophies that have been available to them.

Our congratulations, and best wishes go with them, and our hopes that they will continue to show the sportsmanship, and fine competitive spirit that has been so apparent here.

Now that the hot season is getting upon us, water polo is one topic that is filling the minds of the enthusiastic followers.

Already Major, and Minor Units have sorted themselves out, and it is hoped that some very sporting and close games will be the order of the day. The Major Units League

I'M NOT DEPRESSED ABOUT THE FUTURE OF ENGLISH CRICKET

Peter May Will Not Be Cautious Again

Says DENNIS COMPTON

Not for the first time a new cricket season has opened with a chorus of critics taking the gloomiest possible view of the future of the game in this country. Defeat in Australia, falling attendances at county games, and the lack of new and vital personalities to set the game alight are all factors to help them argue that English cricket is doomed.

But I am not joining in this general mood. I am not pessimistic about our prospects. It would be wrong, for instance, to be too depressed by our Australian defeat.

There are even encouraging elements in this situation. Take first the policy which Peter May—and some of his team—adopted on the tour. Without question it was far too cautious.

Wrong Policy

I am quite sure that Peter May realises that his policy was not the correct one.

That knowledge must be a major gain both for him and for England.

Peter has learned from his mistakes—as every player must—and has matured and developed considerably as a captain.

It was his first experience of having to fight an uphill battle, and I do not think a player reaches his full stature until he has had to face that situation. The same applies to some of the other members of the MCC team.

The series has pinpointed our strength and our weakness and

has given a sure indication of what will be necessary when we meet the Australian challenge here in 1961.

Perhaps it could have been said that we were becoming a little over-confident about our cricket and that it was time that we were jolted to a clear sense of the realities.

We have the opportunity now to look around and take the necessary steps to replenish our strength—and alter some of our policies. This is a hopeful, and not a melancholy, situation.

The New Men

Not only have we the strongest of Test batsmen now, but others of great talent are coming up and challenging strongly—players such as Murrey and Pullar of Lancashire, Murray and Gale and Parfitt of Middlesex, Dick Richardson of Worcester, Padgett of Yorkshire, and others.

There is no doubt, however, that even the greatest of our batsmen, Peter May, is to some degree suspect against leg spin. It is a weakness which the Australian tour exposed most

glaringly—and it is the first weakness we must try to remedy. But it must be remembered that English batsmen get practically no experience against leg spinners for the simple reason that there are none playing in county cricket.

Leg-Spin Practice

It may be that Subhash Gupta's presence in this country with the Indian team this season will provide English batsmen with the opportunity of more practice against leg-spin bowling.

An absence of leg spin takes one of the great arias out of the game. The leg spinner is the antidote to dull or negative cricket. When he is on, either wickets are falling or runs are being scored. I look forward to his return in force to the game.

Our bowling is strong now in every other aspect; but by 1961 Jim Laker will be retired, and our formidable group of fast men will probably be over their peaks.

It is not easy to see who will replace them, though I have little doubt that the coming season will show that Rhodes of Derbyshire is an excellent prospect, and that others will also appear.

Now is the time to experiment with new bowlers and with team-building, and this season will provide a first-class opportunity.

It is too early yet to assess the strength of the Indians, but it is clear that their bowling is limited.

Gupte, however, has real class, and if he is not over-bowled, he should give our top batsmen considerable trouble.

Covers Help

I am sure the decision about the partial covering of wickets will help cricket and cricketers. My only criticism is that it has not gone far enough.

We must have truer and faster wickets. The decision to use covers is a step in the right direction, but this purpose. The fact that some of the variety may go from the game must be accepted as inevitable.

The better wickets which covering will produce will not only help the game financially but will also be an important factor in developing good bowlers and good batsmen.

Only on good wickets can this be done. On bad wickets mediocre bowlers are successful and batsmen get no chance to show their real skills.

I do not feel that the wickets produced by covering will result in duller county cricket.

I am positive that by now county cricketers and county captains have come to realise that their survival depends on making the game more exciting and more colourful, and I am certain they will do so. Good wickets will be an aid, not an obstacle, to achieve this.

But we must be absolutely clear about one or two things.

I think averages should be abolished because the bowler or batsman watching his average is the greatest enemy of the game I know.

County captains must cease to be too concerned about whether they win or whether they lose.

Let us forget the tradition which says that you must win at all costs and get down to the essential crowd-drawing ability to play fast-moving and lively cricket.

The average chaser, the win-at-all-costs man, plays at the expense of the public's enjoyment and to the great detriment of the game.

Above all, let us have the personalities, like the Millers and the Trueman, who get spectators moving through the turnstiles.

(London Express Service)

NOW IT'S A RACE THROUGH LATIN FOR ELLIOTT

By DEREK JOHN

Newly-wed Herbert James Elliott, the world's master miller, is now switching from intense physical training to severe mental training.

For months he has kept up his fantastic keep-fit schedule—running up steep sand dunes, racing over rough ground, swimming in the sea, and eating raw carrots, cabbage, brown bread and cheese.

Now he will rest his tuned-up body and put the brain to work—swotting science and Latin from 7.30 a.m. to past midnight every day.

LONG HOURS

Elliott must work long hours at Melbourne University because he has started to learn Latin from scratch. He has to pass in that subject to gain a place at Cambridge University in October, 1960. But can Elliott take this long physical lay-off and regain peak fitness in time for the Olympic Games in Rome, in August next year?

Many Elliott fans believe he is capable of dominating every Olympic track event from 800 to 10,000 metres in Rome. But I reckon it will be a fantastic achievement if he wins more than one Olympic gold medal after such strenuous studies.

Most probably, he will concentrate on one event—the 1,500 metres. And when hustlin' Herb concentrates he gets results. I hear he raced through first year Latin in barely three months to gain entrance into Melbourne University.

ANOTHER WYKOFF WONDER

It's nearly 30 years since Frank Wykoff became the first man to run the 100 yards in 9.4 secs. Now another athlete of that name is hitting the headlines in sport.

Frank's 17-year-old nephew, Peter Wykoff, has a strong claim to the title of Britain's greatest schoolboy all-rounder.

In an inter-schools athletics match he recently won the shot put, high jump, long jump and 120 yards hurdles, and came second in the discus.

He is also school swimming champion and heavyweight boxing champion, has set up school records in field and swimming events.

Peter, an American student at Epsom College, is being educated in Britain because his father has his insurance business in Europe. This season he hopes to become the first American to win an AAA championship.

But he will have to make fantastic progress to emulate his uncle's triumphs. Frank Wykoff won his first Olympic gold medal at the age of 18 and was a member of the winning American 4 x 100 metres relay team in three Olympics—London Express Service.

Baseball Results

New York, May 13. Following were the results of today's baseball games:

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Cincinnati 4, St. Louis 3-0
Pittsburgh 4, Philadelphia 3-0
Chicago 7, New York 6-3
San Francisco 5, Los Angeles 4-3
Houston 10, San Diego 4-3
Milwaukee 9, St. Paul 4-3

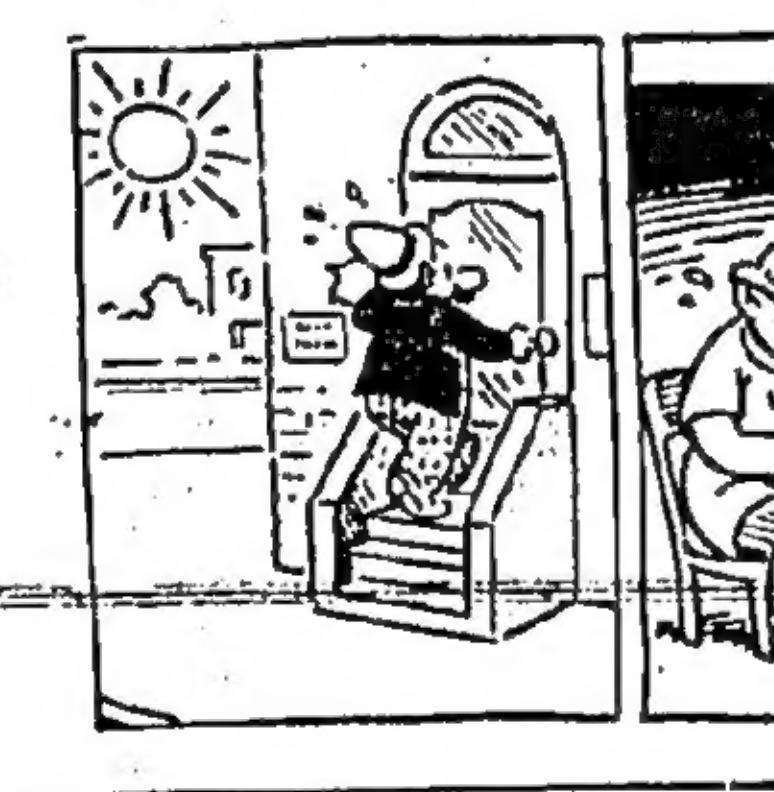
AMERICAN LEAGUE
Detroit 10, Boston 6-2
New York 5, Baltimore 4-3
Chicago 4, Cleveland 3-2
Los Angeles 4, Philadelphia 3-2
Houston 4, St. Louis 3-2
Pittsburgh 4, Milwaukee 3-2

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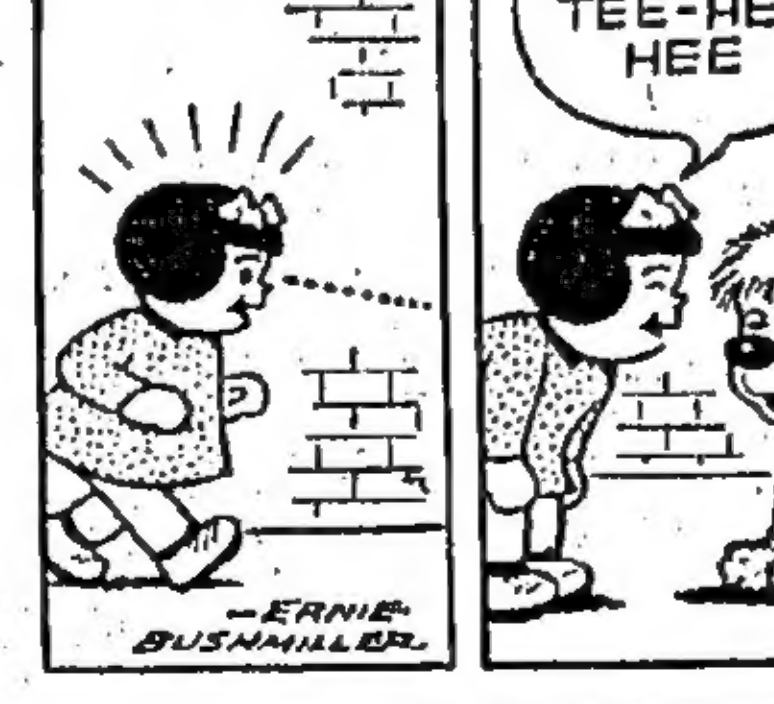
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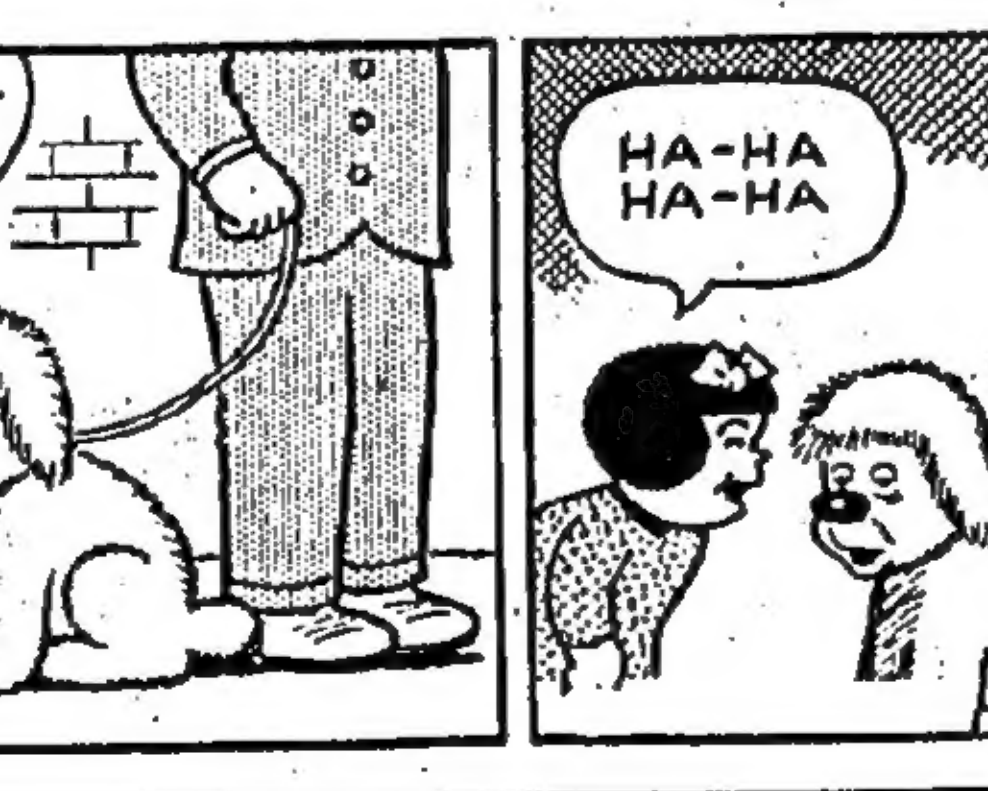
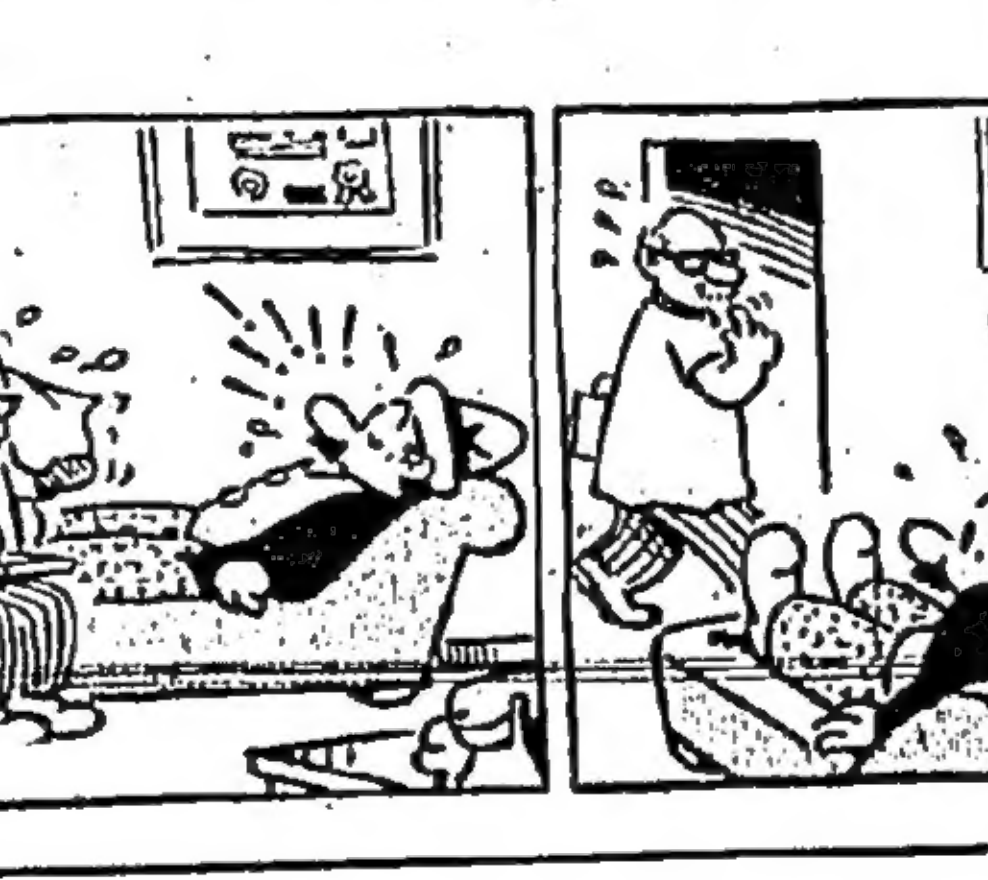
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UK Shipbuilding Industry In Big Export Drive

THE British shipbuilding industry is coupling its exhibition at the British Trade Fair at Lisbon (May 29-June 14) with the launching of a big export drive.

This is the first time the industry has exhibited at a trade fair abroad and the decision to do so has been influenced by the long and friendly trading connection through the years between British shipyards and Portugal.

Some five hundred exhibitors including the Shipbuilding Conference which is under the industry's interests, the British Shipbuilding Research Association and the British Shipbuilding Association, will show Britain's progress in designing more efficient ships and propelling machinery and the latest developments in seeking the economic application of nuclear power to ship propulsion.

Gift-edged securities snapped out of their long decline to finish firm.

Store, auto and engineering shares were generally firm.

Howlers improved on its quarterly report.

Foreign bonds were dull and dollar stocks mixed.

Gold shares tended to ease. Coppers were listless but this improved. Oils reacted after a firm opening to close easier on balance.—UPI.

Visitors will also be able to study in detail how this work has been maintained steadily year after year as the result of large scale reconstruction programmes extending the individual firms to an expenditure of some £120 million.

It is not that Britain's shipbuilding industry should choose Portugal for their first overseas exhibition participation. In the post-war period Portugal has relied on British shipyards for 38 merchant ships of 105,000 gross tons and representing orders worth some £12 million. At the moment a Tyneside firm is fulfilling an order for 20,000 tons gross liner to carry one thousand passengers and which represents a contract worth £5 million.

The summer meeting of the Institution of Naval Architects is also being held at Lisbon from June 8 to 12 and Admiral Toms, President of Portugal, who is to open the Fair, will be presented with the Institution's diploma at the opening session of the meeting.

Canada-Hongkong Air Link

Ottawa, May 13.

Transport Minister T. George Hees said today Britain has given Canada permission for Toronto-Hongkong and western Canada-UK aircraft flights and for service between London and Brussels, Düsseldorf, Zurich and Vienna.

In return, Canada granted the UK rights in Toronto and the North Atlantic service.

Hees told the House of Commons both countries will be able to exercise the new rights on March 1, 1960.

"I am very pleased with the outcome of the discussions with the United Kingdom and expect that the new services will greatly contribute to the convenience of the travelling public," he said.

Discussions were held here last week to update the 1949 air agreement between the two countries.—UPI.

Agreed Merchant Rates

West German Deutschmarks Maximum Selling 72%.

BRITISH ELECTION COULD RESCUE THE U.S. DOLLAR

By SYDNEY S. GAMPELL

London, May 13.

The British election or some other accident might come to the rescue of the dollar—as the German election of mid-September 1957 conspicuously failed to come to the rescue of sterling.

Otherwise, the Americans themselves will have to rescue the dollar, by tackling the inflationary overvaluation where it lives, instead of messing about with its symptoms. Neither Washington nor the steelworkers' union is giving them much of a lead.

If the British election goes the Labour way that the by-elections and public-opinion polls are widely thought to indicate, instead of the Tory way that they almost certainly do indicate, it could boost the dollar against the pound and it could also shake equities: it might conceivably give Wall Street more jitters than London, if only because Wall Street knows less about British politics.

Even so, it might bring no more than a very temporary halt to the revolution in investment.

At present running after falconable British equities whose names the owners can hardly spell would doubtless set off faster than the devil out of Connemara.

After that shock, dispositions might well be made in the prospect that British equities could stand much higher when the next Labour Government left office than when it took office—China Mail Special.

out the world, are making more and more people want to buy equities and fewer and fewer people want to sell or, issue it. It would be trying to get a gallon out of a pint pot.

This reasoning may not obviate a spasm in the London market on the announcement of the general election or a market shock if Labour won it.

In that event, some of the illiterate foreign money that

The Secretary of the Labour Party has reaffirmed that it is in earnest about buying equities for a National Superannuation Fund and about taking them in payment of death duties—in both cases, he swears, for the equity ownership and not for nationalization or control, but anyway for getting the ownership.

He wants to know why, when insurance companies, pension funds, unit trusts and local authorities can all buy equity shares with the official blessing of the Conservative Party, anybody should object to the Government doing so.

Unless the buying by the National Superannuation Fund wholly replaced an equal amount of buying by the insured and trusted pension funds (which would be very unlikely) it would mean some net addition to the demand for equities.

Acceptance of them for death duties would certainly reduce their supply: selling from deceased estates is probably the most important source of supply to the market, and certainly the most regular one.

Capital Gains Tax

Given that a capital gains tax (which would be much likelier than dividends) would doubtless have the same effect as it has in the U.S. of looking people into their existing holdings, the massive additional buying for the National Fund would coincide with less selling for both the living and the dead.

Coming on top of all the existing fiscal and economic policies which, in Britain and through-

Chicago Grain Market

Chicago, May 13.

May rye was heavy, and other grains were mixed today on the Board of Trade.

The wheat trade was slow. May was little higher on some stop-loss buying orders, and new crop prices were also higher.

Soybeans were weaker for nearby and firmer for deferred contracts.

Wheat No. 2, red

Spot 190 1/2-191 1/2
July 190 1/2-191 1/2
Sept. 190 1/2-191 1/2
Dec. 190 1/2-191 1/2
Mar. 190 1/2-191 1/2

Corn No. 2, yellow

Spot 128 1/2-129 1/2
July 128 1/2-129 1/2
Sept. 128 1/2-129 1/2
Dec. 128 1/2-129 1/2
Mar. 128 1/2-129 1/2

Rye

Spot 130 1/2-131 1/2
July 130 1/2-131 1/2
Sept. 130 1/2-131 1/2
Dec. 130 1/2-131 1/2
Mar. 130 1/2-131 1/2

New York Cotton Market Drifts After Opening

New York, May 13.

Final evening-up operations in the May delivery proved the overshadowing feature in cotton futures today.

After a steady opening, the market drifted lower for the rest of the session, closing with a loss of 12 to 19 points. Opening prices were unchanged to 2 points. New Orleans closed off 12 points.

The spot month went off the board in mid-morning hour unchanged at 35.91 cents a pound. But at New Orleans, May expired at 35.61 cents, off 7 points, or \$4.83 a bale from the previous close.

Outstanding

Technicians said the break in the southern cotton probably reflected a narrow market there. Delivery notices here for 3,400 bales were taken up by spot interests.

Outstanding commitments in May at the opening totaled

60,300 bales. The certified stock declined 1,875 to 50,780 bales with an additional 1,953 bales awaiting inspection.

Selling in nearby July was attracted because of its wide premium over new crop months. Scattered selling in new crop months met a reserved demand as buyers awaited further crop developments and a new appraisal of the market following expiration of the May contract.

The Liverpool market today closed off 5 to 10 English points and 674 to 834 American points under New York futures.

Raw cotton exports for the season totaled 2,197,211 bales against 4,480,137 bales shipped in the same period last season, according to the New York Cotton Exchange.—UPI.

Yesterday's Closing

COMMODITY PRICES

RUBBER

NEW YORK

Rex rubber futures today closed 50 to 75 points lower with sales of 180 contracts.

Closing prices:

May 35.75
July 35.75
Sept. 35.75
Nov. 35.75
Dec. 35.75
Jan. 35.75
Feb. 35.75
Mar. 35.75
Apr. 35.75
May 35.75

NEW ORLEANS

Closing prices were:

May 35.75
July 35.75
Sept. 35.75
Nov. 35.75
Dec. 35.75
Jan. 35.75
Feb. 35.75
Mar. 35.75
Apr. 35.75
May 35.75

LIVERPOOL

Closing prices were:

May 35.75
July 35.75
Sept. 35.75
Nov. 35.75
Dec. 35.75
Jan. 35.75
Feb. 35.75
Mar. 35.75
Apr. 35.75
May 35.75

SAO PAULO

Closing prices were unavailable today because of holiday.

In the United States, the average price of one-inch cotton at 14 designated spot markets was 34.63 cents.

Total sales were 15,021 bales.—UPI.

METALS

NEW YORK

Closing prices were:

May 11.80
July 11.80
Sept. 11.80
Nov. 11.80
Dec. 11.80
Jan. 11.80
Feb. 11.80
Mar. 11.80
Apr. 11.80
May 11.80

LONDON

Closing prices were:

May 11.80
July 11.80
Sept. 11.80
Nov. 11.80
Dec. 11.80
Jan. 11.80
Feb. 11.80
Mar. 11.80
Apr. 11.80
May 11.80

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Closing rates were:

May 11.80
July 11.80
Sept. 11.80
Nov. 11.80
Dec. 11.80
Jan. 11.80
Feb. 11.80
Mar. 11.80
Apr. 11.80
May 11.80

NEW WALL STREET HIGH FOR INDUSTRIAL ISSUES

New York, May 13.

The stock market today returned to the old-fashioned leadership of automobile and steel shares to lift industrial issues into new record territory.

Chrysler ran up more than 2 points to a new high. Ford and General Motors gained a point or more and the others followed with fractional gains. Steels at their best showed gains running to 4 points with the top-ranking favorites—U. S. Steel and Bethlehem—prominent in the upturn.

Chemicals enjoyed another day of soaring prices with Du Pont the leader. Railroad issues joined the recovery. Even the oils displayed a stronger tone. Some of the metals, communications, glass issues, stocks involved in food building, some electronics and drugs, and many special issues registered wide gains.

Few Soft Spots

There were a few soft spots. American Telephone, one of these, tempered the industrial rise somewhat. Philadelphia & Reading fell nearly 5 points. Pfizer was soft in the drugs and Hoffman declined in the electronics.

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HK COUPLE TO BE WED IN SINGAPORE



WINNIE FUNG

A young Hong Kong ballet dancer, Winnie Fung, has arrived in Singapore to be married to a Hong Kong journalist, David T. K. Wong. David Wong is the China Mail Singapore correspondent. Miss Fung, who studied ballet at the Rumbert School, is the daughter of Mr. S. K. Fung, former Manager of the Central Bank of China at Canton, and Mrs. Fung. She was educated in Shanghai, Hong Kong and the United Kingdom. She is well-known in Hong Kong for dancing the cha-cha and the rumba, and has given numerous exhibitions at balls and other functions. While in England she had a small part in "The Inn of Sixth Happiness". The romance began two years ago when David was teaching history in Hong Kong and Winnie was his student. David later spent some time in London working on a novel. His despatches were published regularly in the China Mail. At this time, Winnie was studying ballet at the Rumbert School in England. They became engaged as soon as Winnie finished her ballet course. The wedding day is June 6.

DONATION OF \$36

A donation of \$36 has been received by the Editor for Chang Fan-wu of Rennie's Mill, whose case was reported in Tuesday's China Mail. Chang has undergone a number of operations since he arrived in Hong Kong resulting in the amputation of two legs. He is suffering from a disease known as Burger's disease. The letter said: "Please convey to Mr. Chang our deep sympathy with him, and to hope that through the kind hearts of many people in this Colony his life may be made brighter, and that he will keep his courage and his faith, and we hope be able to resume his work, for we know what that will mean to him. Our thanks for your kind interest and that of your reporter, David Lam." The donors have asked not to be identified.

Airline Executive Leaves Colony

Mr. J. Tobin, Vice President of Hawaiian Airlines left Hong Kong for Manila by Cathay Pacific Airways today. He was accompanied by Mr. L. Connat and Mr. J. Williams, also of Hawaiian Airlines.

Small Fire

A small fire broke out at 40 Folkestone Road, third floor, just after 9 a.m. A quantity of bamboo ware on the balcony of the flat was destroyed, but there were no casualties. Three fire appliances were sent to the scene. The fire was extinguished in five minutes.

JUDGE SUMS UP IN MURDER TRIAL

Verdict Expected Today

Mr Justice A. D. Scholes today began the summing-up in the case of four inmates of Cape Collinson Boys' Training Camp charged with murdering a camp leader, So Shiu-bor. The four accused are Yau Kin-wah, 20, Ng Tak-wai, 21, Chiu Siu-kai, 20, and Choi To, 19.

The Judge said that the first accused admitted himself from acts done before the fatal blow had been struck. In the case of the second accused, he was said not to have been involved in the matter until after the fatal blow was struck and that he was not present until it had been struck.

Mistaken

It was also said that the third accused was not involved in the matter until after the fatal blow had been struck, and

also that he might have been mistaken for another person. The defence claimed that the third accused had pushed away the fourth accused and tried to prevent the latter from striking the deceased. The defence claimed that So Shiu-bor was already dead when the fourth accused struck him, and that when he did so the face of the deceased had been covered by a blanket. The blows on the face, it was stated by the defence, indicated that the fatal blow must have been struck before the face was covered. The case for the de-

fence of the fourth accused was that he was insane, and the jury must consider whether he was so at the time when the deceased received his injuries or whether he was now insane.

Escape Punishment

His replies to questions in Court had been unsatisfactory, but the appearance he gave of not understanding the questions and of not being normal mentally might simply be an attempt to give the impression that he was insane when he was not, to avoid punishment.

The case is expected to end today.

Appearing for the first accused (Yau) was Mr. A. Zimmerman, instructed by Ford Kwan & Co. for the second (Ng) Mr. Lawrence Leong, instructed by Deacons; the third (Chiu) Mr. Henry H. L. Ho, instructed by Johnson, Stokes & Master, and for the fourth (Choi) Mr. Benjamin Lau, instructed by Bruton & Co.

Senior Crown Counsel in this case is Mr. Desmond Mayne, assisted by Mr. W. R. J. Boxall.

\$75 Fine For Being Cruel To Dog

A 27-year-old man who suspended a small live puppy from the end of a string, nearly strangling it, was fined \$75 with the alternative of ten days in prison at Kowloon Court this morning.

Fung Yee-cheng, charged with cruelty to an animal, was said to have held the dog that way before a crowd in Sheng Kwai Chung Village, Tsau Wan, yesterday afternoon while the dangling puppy whimpered.

His antics invited the attention of Sub-inspector I. M. Hanson on patrol who approached the defendant and tried to vainly to loosen the cord tied round the dog's neck because it was fastened so tight, the prosecution told the court.

The Magistrate, Mr. F. X. Leonard, warned the defendant on passing sentence: "If you ever do it again, I'll put you in prison."

Anglican Clergy Conference Begins



Some of the delegates taking part in the Southeast Asian conference of Chinese clergy of the Anglican Church are shown in this photograph taken in the St John's Cathedral Hall this morning. They are (left to right top row) the Rev. James Pong, organizer of the conference (Hong Kong), the Rev. Richard Yoh (Taiwan), the Rev. Stephen Ko (USA), the Rev. Paul To (Mauritius). (Bottom row) Canon Shim Wai-on (Honolulu), the Rev. Paul Chong (Borneo), Bishop Roland Koh (Singapore), Archdeacon Lee Kai-yan (Hong Kong), and the Rev. Samuel Wu (Philippines). — China Mail Photo.

Singapore Bishop's Call

For Church Workers

WE CAN'T ALWAYS DEPEND ON MISSIONARIES, HE SAYS

The Assistant Bishop of Singapore, the Rt Rev Roland Koh, who is here for the Southeast Asia Conference of Chinese Clergy of the Anglican Church, this morning threw a challenge and a call to people in the Far East to work for their Church. "We cannot forever depend on missionaries coming out to work for us from Europe and America and elsewhere," he said.

Bishop Koh dwelt on the subject in his sermon which he delivered this morning at a service of Holy Communion at St John's Cathedral as a prelude to the conference.

About 50 Chinese clergy have come together from Singapore, Mauritius, San Francisco, and Honolulu, the Philippines, Taiwan, Borneo for the conference, and Bishop Koh said this morning that they had come together in the name of God to strengthen the common bond in Christ.

The other purpose of the conference, he said, was to find out how they could help one another to spread the work in areas where only a small percentage of the population were Christians.

Acute Shortage

"There is a need for co-operation and co-ordination among all of us dispersed throughout the world," Bishop Koh said. He added that the mission of the Chung Wah Sing Kung Hui (Chinese Anglican Church) concerned not only the Chinese, but all races and peoples.

"And our mission not only centres on the spiritual side, but also the welfare of the peoples through work in hospitals, orphanages and other social organizations," Bishop Koh said.

Talking about social work in the Church, Bishop Koh said: "We find there is an acute shortage of Church workers not only of clergy, but other dedicated workers such as doctors, nurses and other social workers. For that reason the work of our Church is hampered."

The 50 clergy who gathered for the conference attended Holy Communion and breakfast later at the Cathedral Hall.

They then went to the Church Guest House where the conference started about 9.30 a.m.

During the meeting, Canon John Lee and the Rev. Lee Ling-kwong read reports of the work of the Diocese of Singapore, the Rev. Paul To on Mauritius, the Rev. Stephen Ko on San Francisco and Canon Shim Wai-on on Honolulu.

Three Hurt In Traffic Accidents

Two men and a boy were injured in road mishaps in Kowloon yesterday. They are receiving treatment in hospital.

The two men were 30-year-old Leo Yee, living at No. 20, Cheong Wah Street, ground floor, who was knocked down by a private car in Shanghai Street, near Lai Chi Kok Road, and Poon Chun, aged 21, of No. 188, Apu Street, ground floor, who was hit by a motorcycle in Cheung Sha Wan Road, near Kwelin Street.

The 14-year-old Chan Shui-cheung, who gave his address as No. 50, Section 2, First District, Po Man Village, was knocked down by a private car in Wylie Road.

New Kind Of Summer Concert



DOROTHY SMITH

The Music Society of Hong Kong has concluded arrangements for a summer series of three piano recitals, to be held in an intimate air-conditioned atmosphere.

The first will be by Dorothy Simpson Smith, distinguished American pianist, and will take place in the dining room of the Gloucester Hotel, at 9 p.m. on Saturday, May 23.

It is felt that this new departure in presentation of piano music will enable music lovers to enjoy the refinements of technique and interpretation which are sometimes lost in the atmosphere of a large hall.

Dorothy Simpson Smith is on her way back to California from Spain, and her next engagement is with the New York Philharmonic Orchestra.

The two other piano recitals in the series, which will also be presented in an intimate atmosphere, will be by Walter Haulzig and Annarosa Taddel.



THE NEW CATHEDRAL WINDOW

Cathedral Has New Stained Window

A new stained glass window in St John's Cathedral will be dedicated by the Rt. Rev. R. O. Hall, Bishop of Hong Kong, on Whit Sunday.

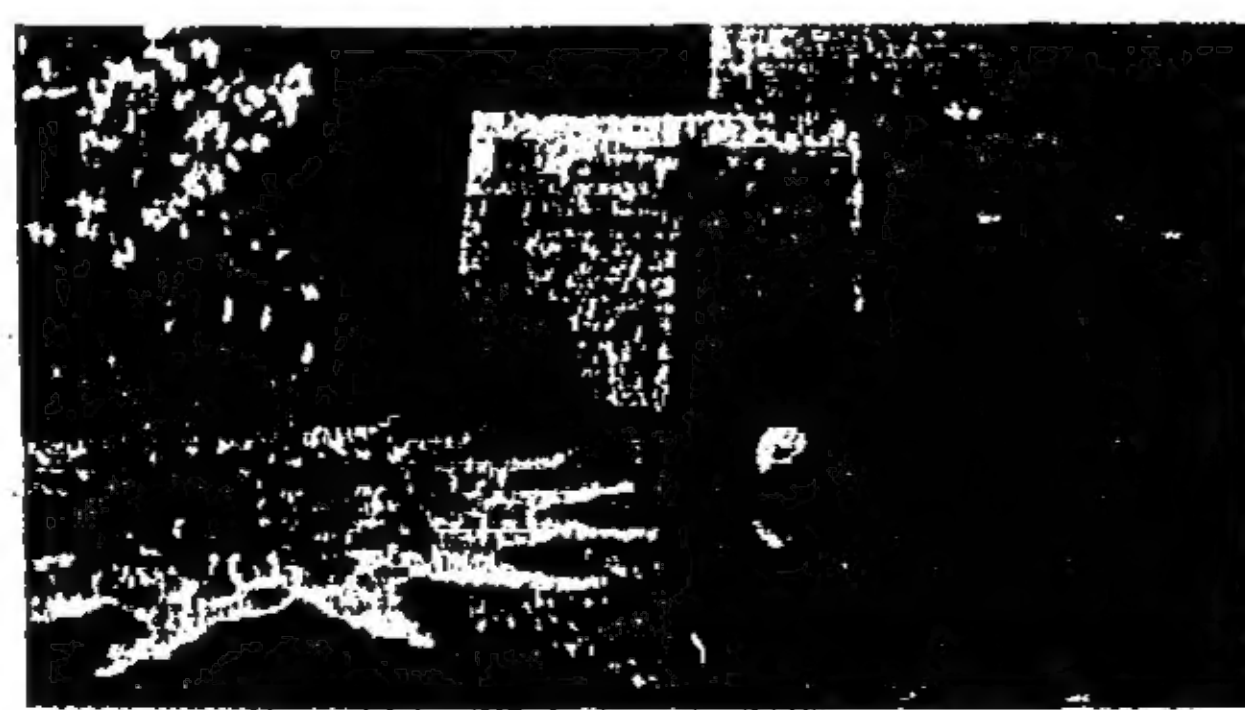
The window, situated in St Michael's Chapel, was donated to the Cathedral in memory of women of all nationalities.

On Sunday the congregation at the Cathedral will be able to see the latest work of Mr Eric Nuttgens, who also designed and constructed the Cathedral's two other stained glass windows.

The central panel of the new window depicts Christ standing in an open fishing boat on the turbulent Sea of Galilee, surrounded by his disciples.

All that remains of the two colours are the centre 'roundels' with the Defence Force inscriptions. One stagspole Jack (ornamental head) was recovered with the flag remains, and this too has been mounted on the showcase.

LAP CHUN PLUS 2..



Lap Chun—February 4, the day when eggs stand on their ends—is not the only day of the year when they perform this feat.

The above photograph sent in by a China Mail reader shows an egg standing on the polished surface of the dining room table, with a copy of the China Mail of February 4 behind it—the day the photograph was taken.

The photograph which has just been developed was sent in to the China Mail yesterday.

From the Files

25 years AGO

MR Alfred Morris, for many years in the Hong Kong Government service, as Headmaster of the old Salingpun School, and its successor, King's College, is shortly going on vacation following his retirement.

Yesterday evening a large gathering of members of the Old Boys Association and their friends and relatives held a farewell party at which Mr Morris was the recipient of a souvenir.

Discussions between the Hong Kong Government and Imperial Communications Ltd regarding a merger of the Hong Kong radio communication services, at present controlled by the Colony, with the world-wide services of Imperial Communications, may reach finality in the near future, it was learnt yesterday.

FROM the SCM Post's 25 years ago column: "The discussion at Tuesday's meeting of the Sanitary Board (now the Urban Council) on the incident of the coolie who was noticed over the fish pond at the market has given rise to a great deal of comment in various quarters, but if what we are told from sources that should be reliable is authentic, there is much yet to be investigated in the same connection.

"Our information is that it is the practice for the coolies employed in the markets to remove their clothes and get into the fish tank for the purpose of taking the fish out. "This is the regular modus operandi of lifting the fish out in order to give them to whoever may be the purchaser, and it was such a coolie who was noted drying himself, by Mr Hooper when he was visiting the markets.

"If this is correct, and we are assured that it is, the whole practice should be investigated, and drastic changes made in the system of sale and storage of the fish.

"The Government have decided that the tanks are not to be used as bathtubs, and the coolies are to be allowed to remove their clothes and get into the tanks for the purpose of catching the fish, the Government order will avail little.

"Perhaps Mr Hooper will pursue the subject still further and make sure that the coolies are kept out of the fish tanks altogether."

Forgery Case Transferred To District Court

The case against a merchant, David Law, alias Law Chi-to, 38, charged with forgery, uttering a forged cheque and obtaining a document by false pretences, was transferred to the District Court by Mr T. L. Yang at Central Magistracy this morning.

Law is alleged to have, on October 9 last year, with intent to defraud, forged an endorsement purported to be that of the firm of Winston Enterprises, on a cheque for \$2,925.

It is also alleged that on the same day he uttered the cheque at 9 Ice House Street.

It is further alleged that, between October 9 and 24 last year, defendant forged an endorsement, purported to be that of Winston Enterprises, on a delivery order addressed to the North Point Wharves Ltd, for 30 bags of polythene.

ALTERNATIVE CHARGE

He is alternatively charged with obtaining the delivery order on October 9 from the China United Chemical Corporation by falsely pretending that the cheque for \$2,925 had been endorsed by Winston Enterprises.

Mr F. W. Ko, of Messrs Lau, Chan and Ko, is defending. Detective Inspector N. Whitley is prosecuting. Defendant is on bail of \$4,000.

Habitual Criminal Is Bound Over

Mr E. Corbally at Central Magistracy this morning granted an application for a "habitual criminal" to be bound over in \$500 for two years for good behaviour.

The man, Chan Choy, 30, of 47 Nam Kwok Road, ground floor, had recently been released from prison after serving a sentence for burglary.

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